登場人物紹介でゲソ!!

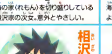
相沢栄子

海の家(れもん)を切り盛りしている相沢家の次女。意外とやさしい。

イカ娘

海を汚す人類共を征服するために海よりやってきた侵略、イカ娘。

相沢たける

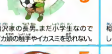


相沢家の長男。まだ小学生なのでイカ娘の触手やイカスミを恐れない。

相沢千鶴

相沢家の長女。おっとりしていてやさしそうだが、意外と腹黒い一面も…。

長月早苗



イカ娘に一目惚れしてしまった学子の高校の同級生。最初はイカ娘のコスプレ喫茶…

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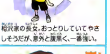

イカ娘にライバル視されているライフセーバー。泳ぎの記録はかすて抜く自信がない。

斉藤渚

海の家(れもん)に入ってきた新入バイト第一号。接客まであるイカ娘を信用する。

シンディー

米軍地球外生命体対策調査研究室一系イカ娘を宇宙人として認証研究しかている。

古川雪子

海の家れもんに新しいのがもう1人いるのを聞き、あつさ名前をかえてやってきた。

紗倉清美

イカ娘にいつのまにかレシピまで盗まれた女の子。パソコンが趣味の腐女子。

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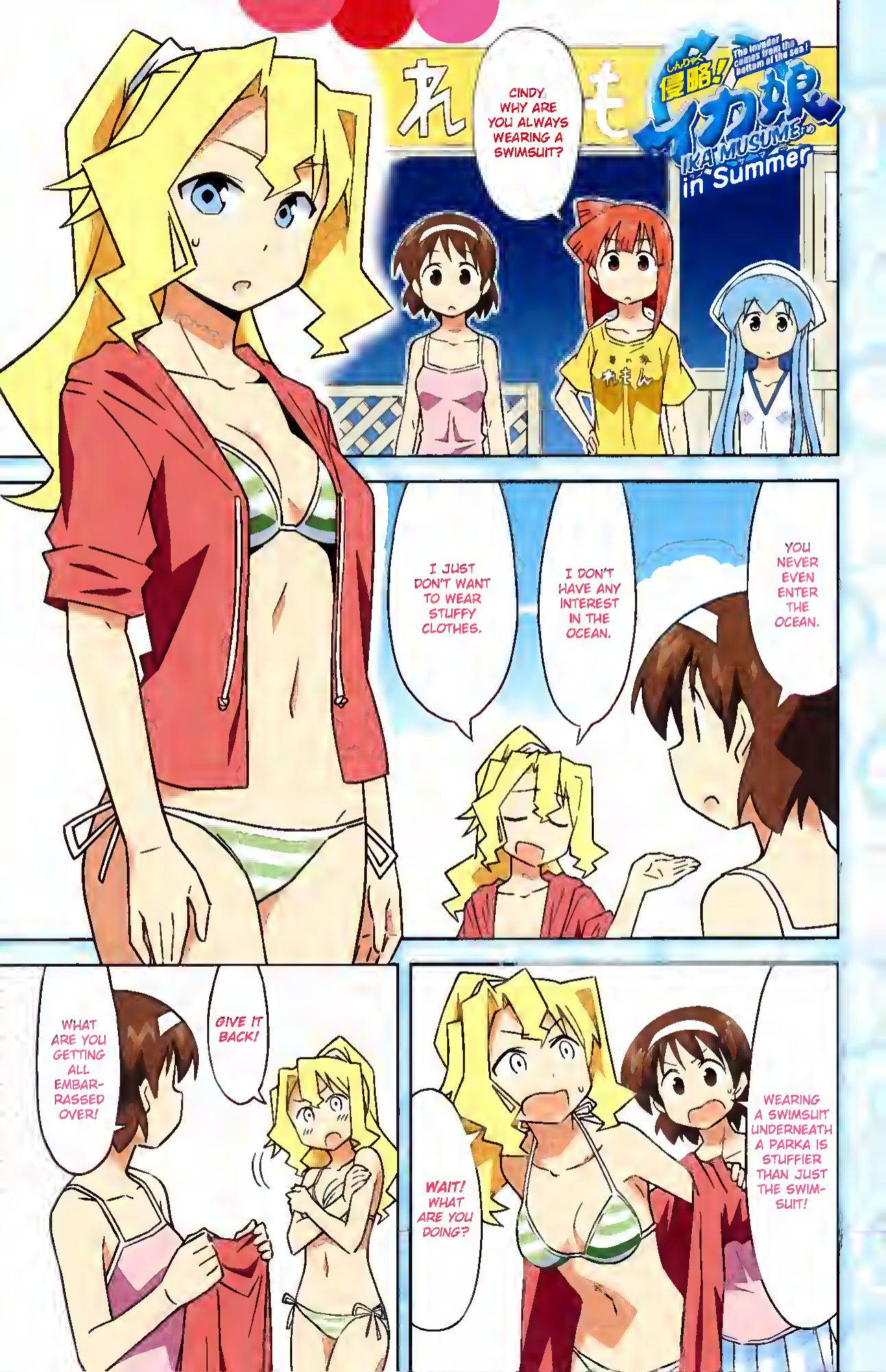
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CINDY, WHY ARE YOU ALWAYS WEARING A SWIMSUIT?
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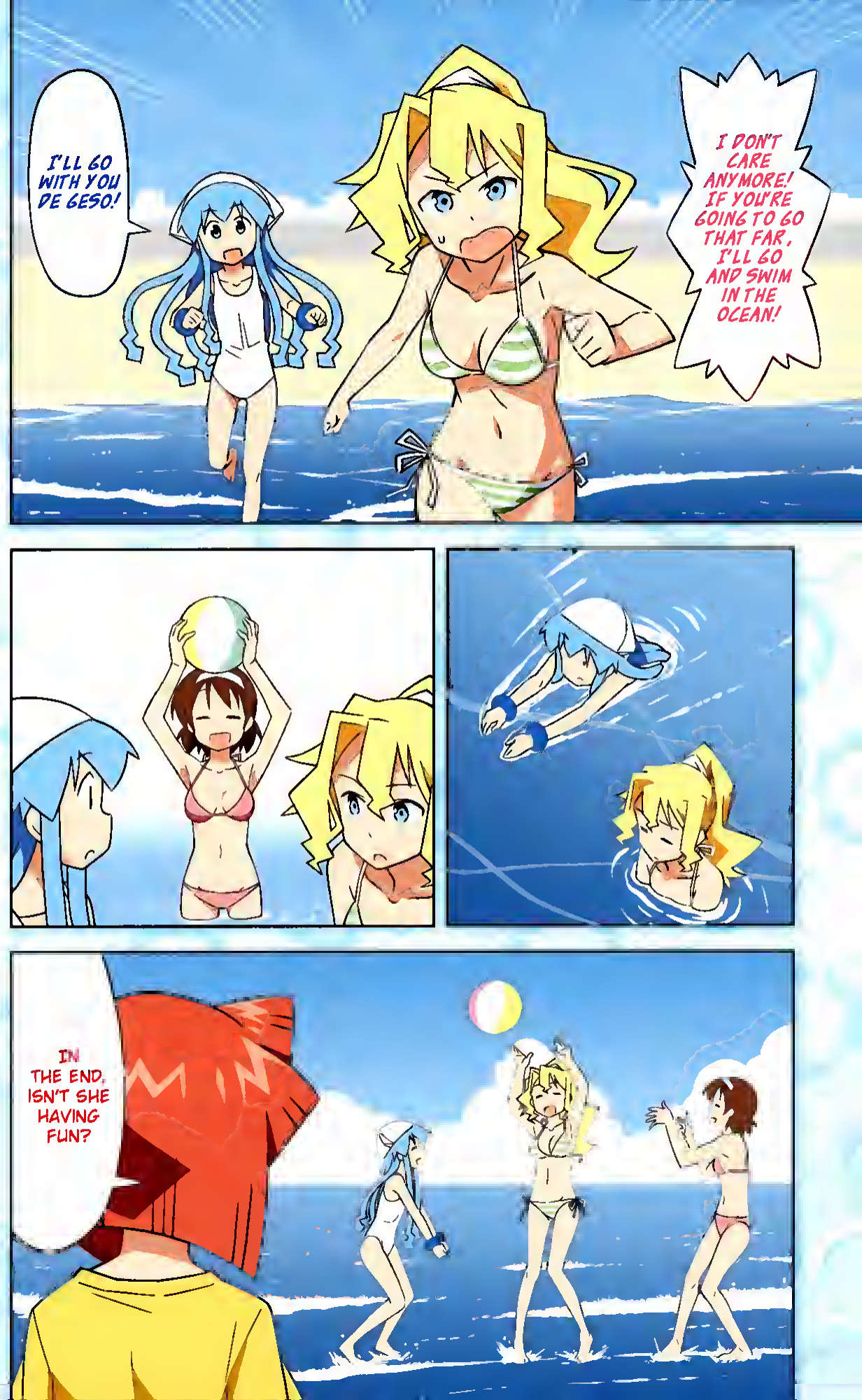
The Invader Comes from the Bottom of the Sea!
IKA MUSUME
in Summer
I JUST DON'T WANT TO WEAR STUFFY CLOTHES.
I DON'T HAVE ANY INTEREST IN THE OCEAN.
YOU NEVER EVEN ENTER THE OCEAN.
WHAT ARE YOU GETTING ALL EMBARRASSED OVER!
GIVE IT BACK!
WAIT! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WEARING A SWIMSUIT UNDERNEATH A PARKA IS STUFFIER THAN JUST THE SWIMSUIT!


I'LL GO WITH YOU DE GESO!
I DON'T CARE ANYMORE! IF YOU'RE GOING TO GO THAT FAR, I'LL GO AND SWIM IN THE OCEAN!
IN THE END, ISN'T SHE HAVING FUN?

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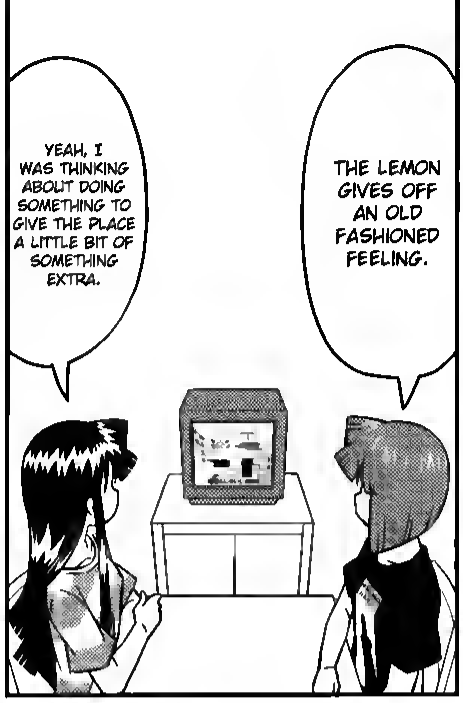
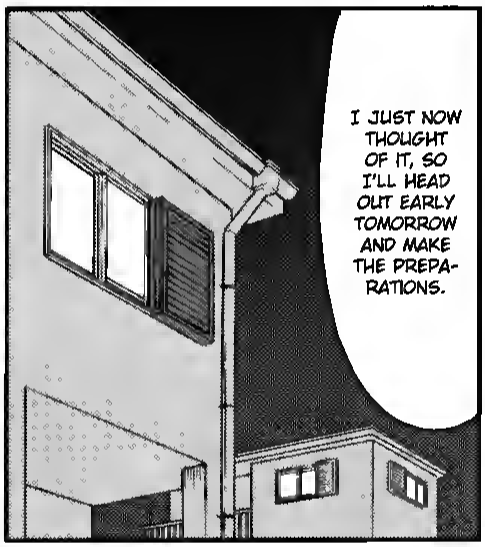
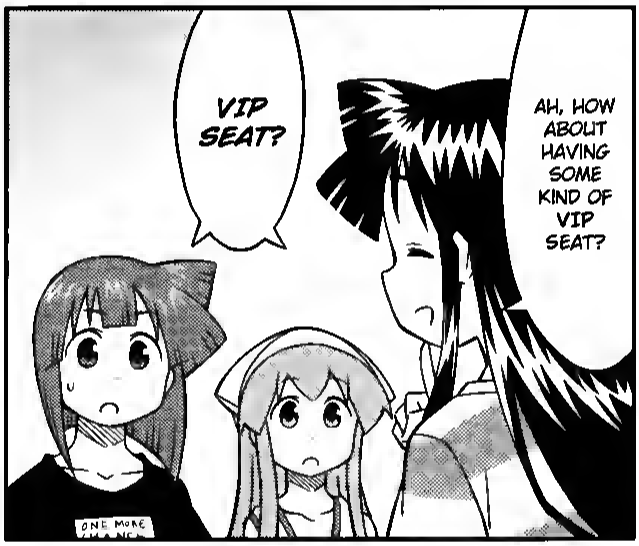
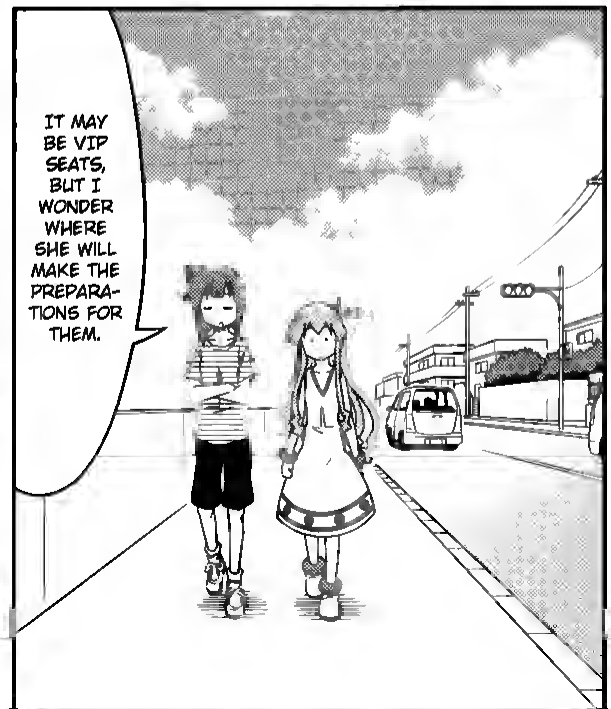
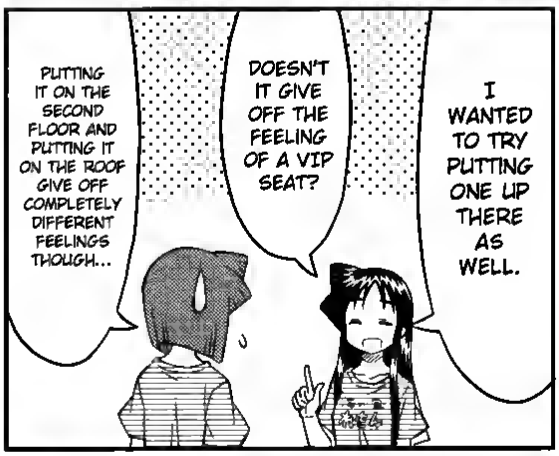

YEAH, I WAS THINKING ABOUT DOING SOMETHING TO GIVE THE PLACE A LITTLE BIT OF SOMETHING EXTRA.
THE LEMON GIVES OFF AN OLD FASHIONED FEELING.

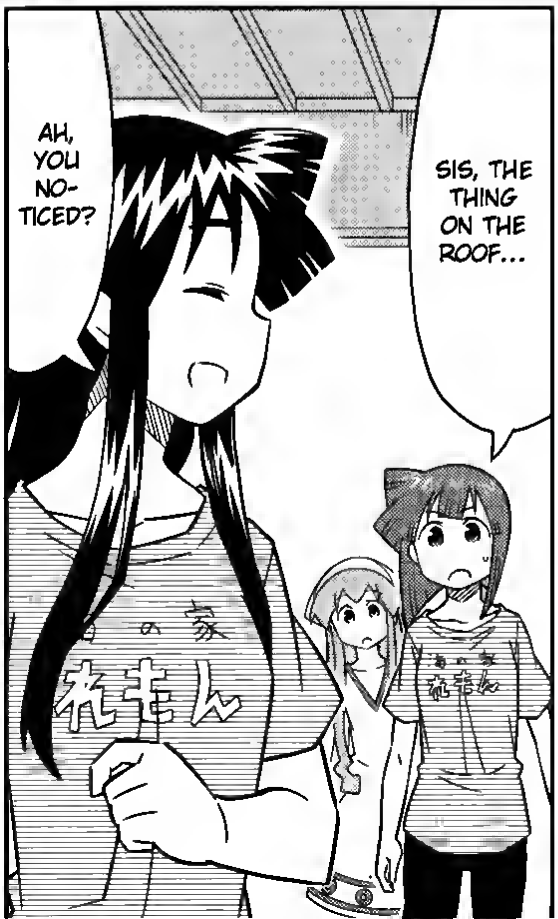


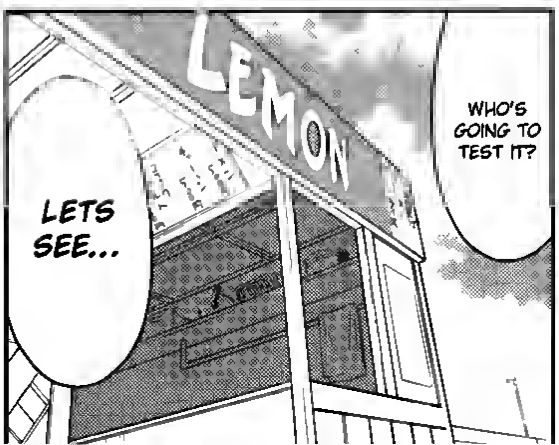


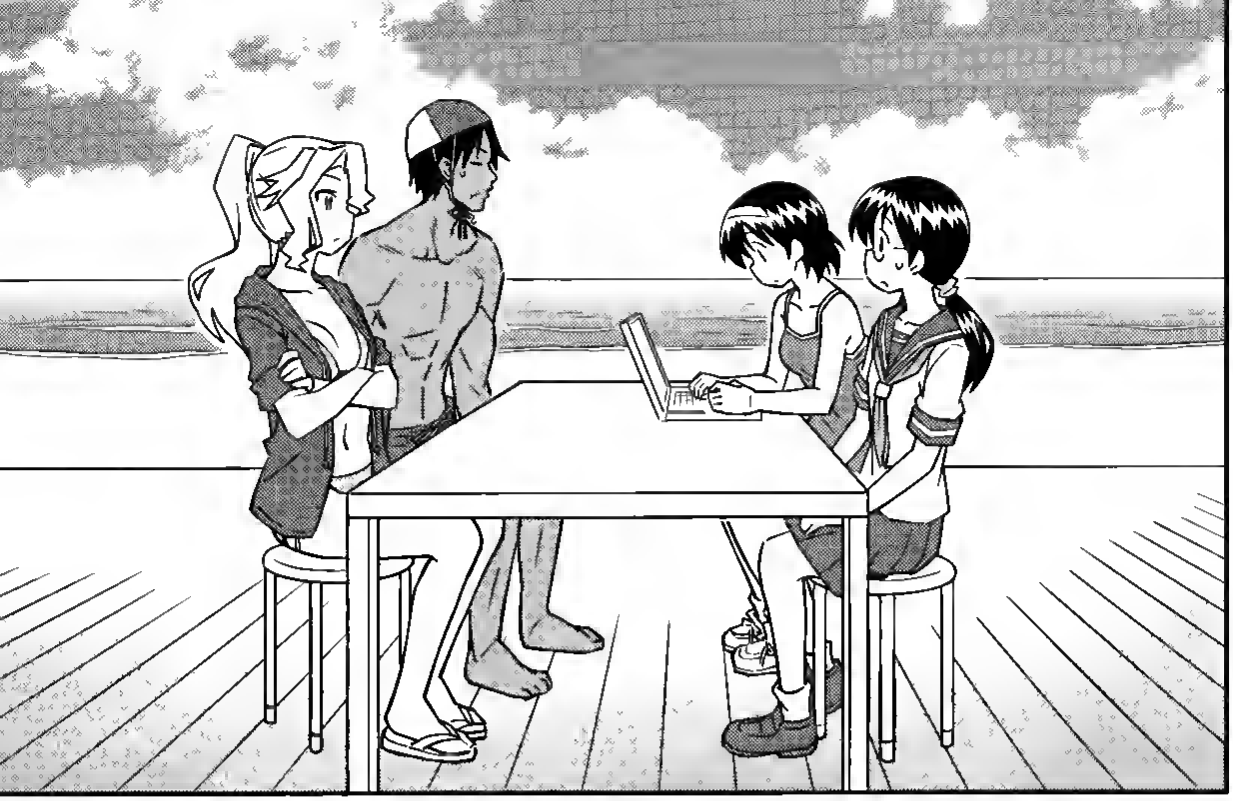


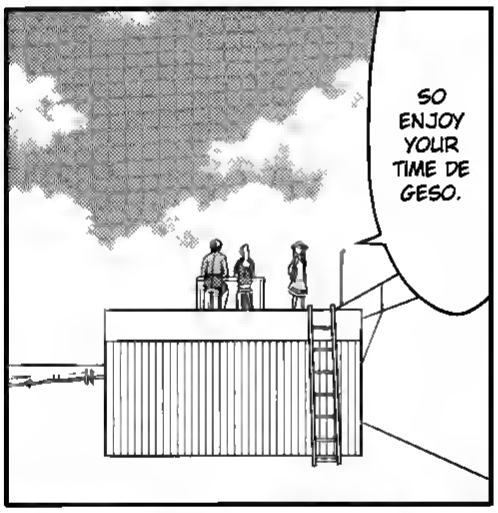
IT CAN'T POSSIBLY BE THIS, CAN IT...?
Beach House LEMON

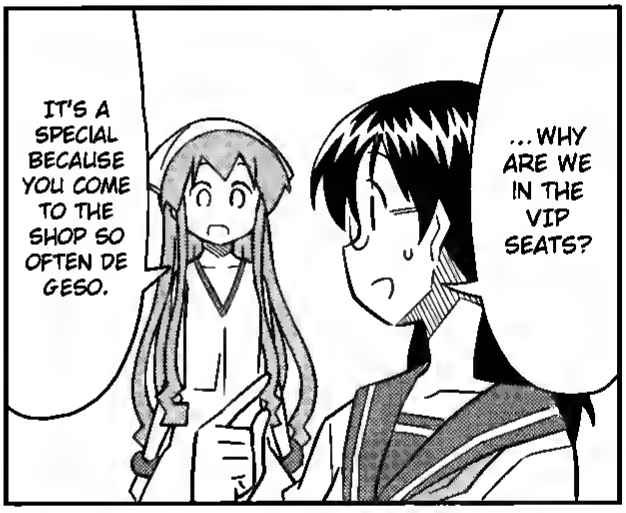

I WANTED TO TRY PUTTING ONE UP THERE AS WELL.
DOESN'T IT GIVE OFF THE FEELING OF A VIP SEAT?
PUTTING IT ON THE SECOND FLOOR AND PUTTING IT ON THE ROOF GIVE OFF COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FEELINGS THOUGH...

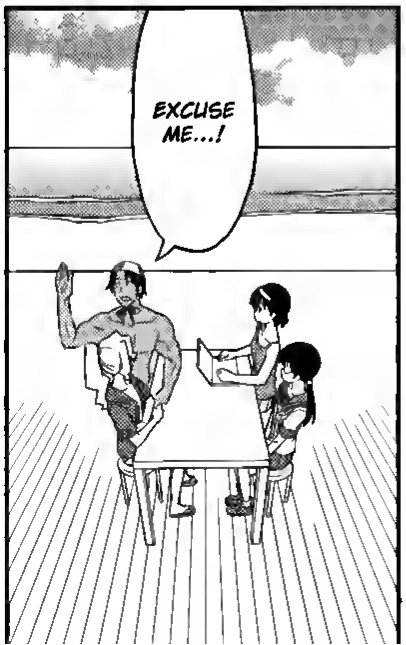

SIS, THE THING ON THE ROOF...
AH, YOU NOTICED?


WHO'S GOING TO TEST IT?
LETS SEE...
LEMON




SO ENJOY YOUR TIME DE GESO.


IT'S A SPECIAL BECAUSE YOU COME TO THE SHOP SO OFTEN DE GESO.
...WHY ARE WE IN THE VIP SEATS?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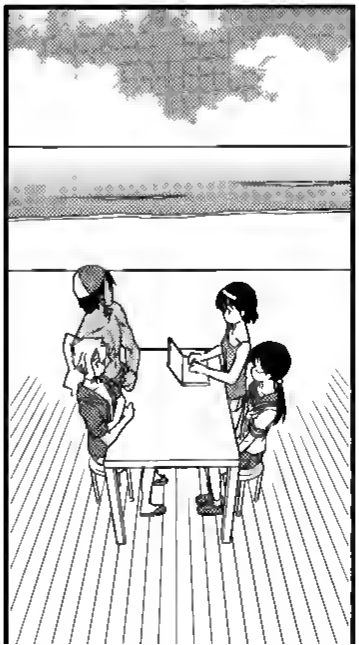
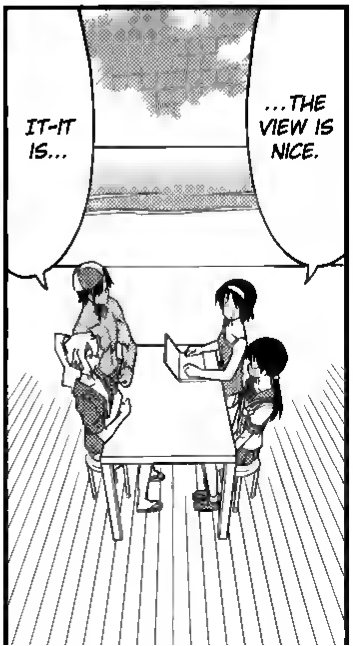
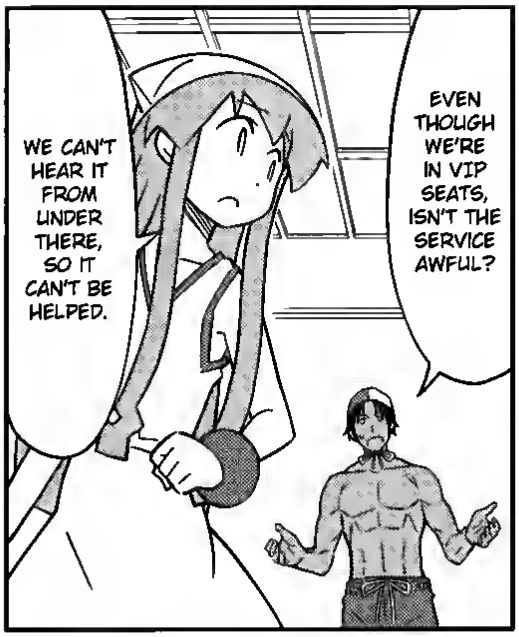
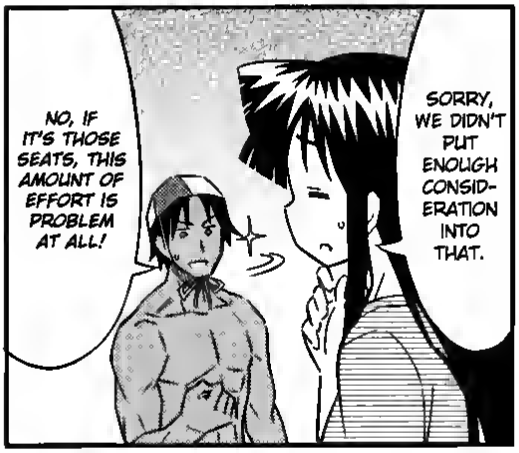
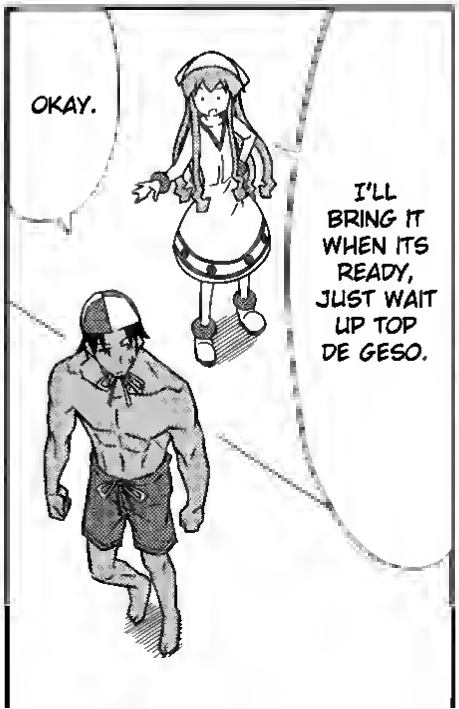


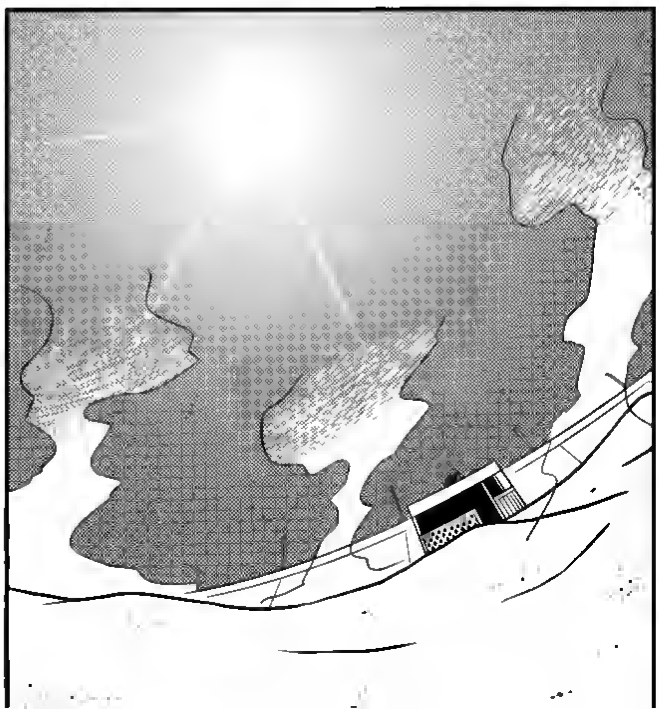

IT-IT IS...
...THE VIEW IS NICE.

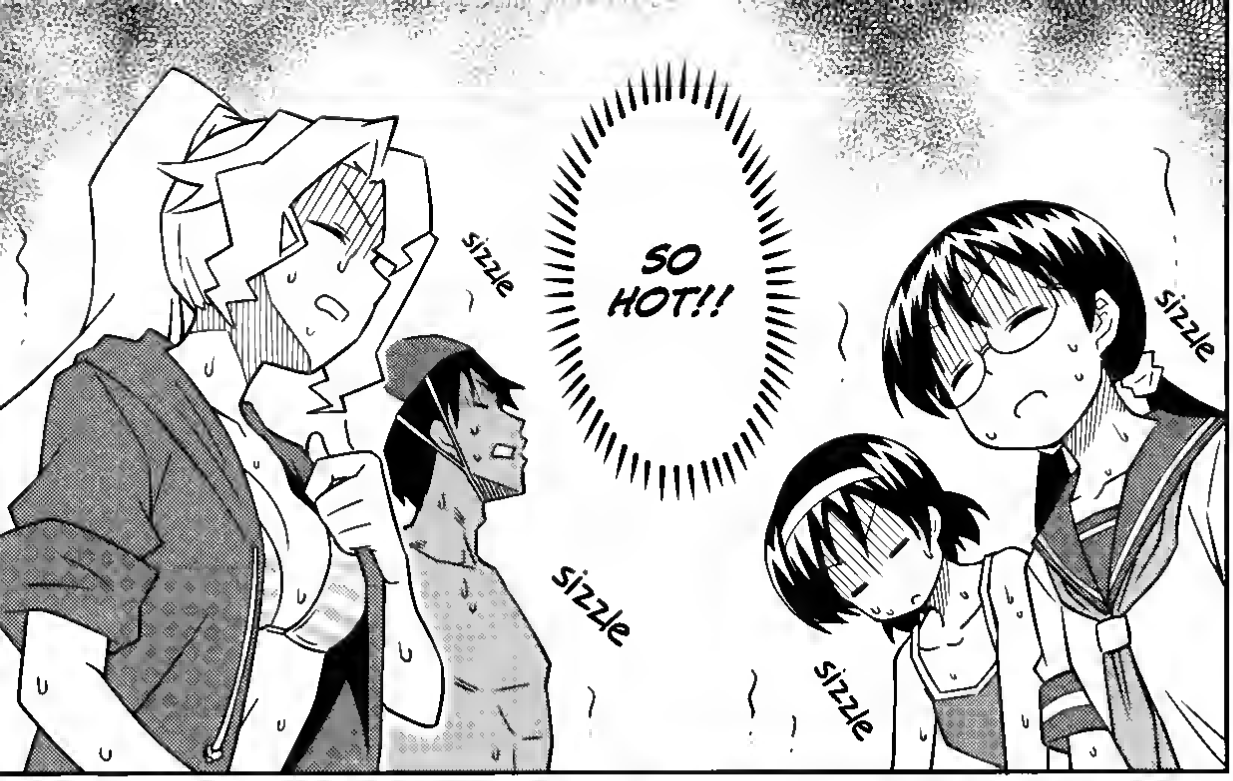
I'LL HAVE AN ICED COFFEE.
ME TOO.
SO YOU HAVE TO GO AND ORDER YOUR FOOD YOURSELF!


EVEN THOUGH WE'RE IN VIP SEATS, ISN'T THE SERVICE AWFUL?
WE CAN'T HEAR IT FROM UNDER THERE, SO IT CAN'T BE HELPED.


SORRY, WE DIDN'T PUT ENOUGH CONSIDERATION INTO THAT.
NO, IF IT'S THOSE SEATS, THIS AMOUNT OF EFFORT IS PROBLEM AT ALL!


OKAY.
I'LL BRING IT WHEN ITS READY, JUST WAIT UP TOP DE GESO.




SO HOT!!
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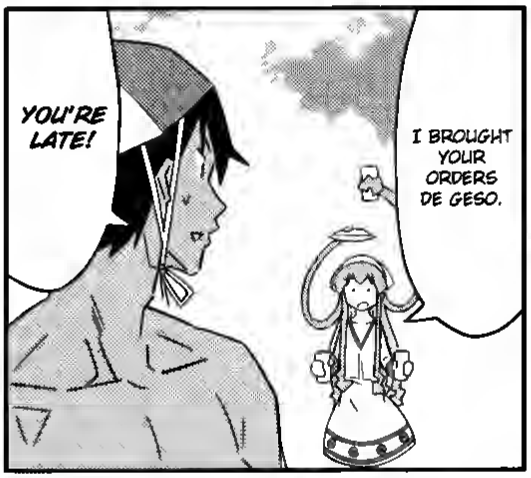
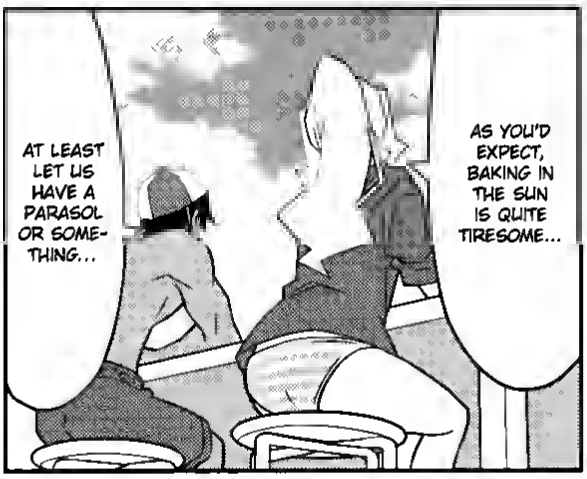
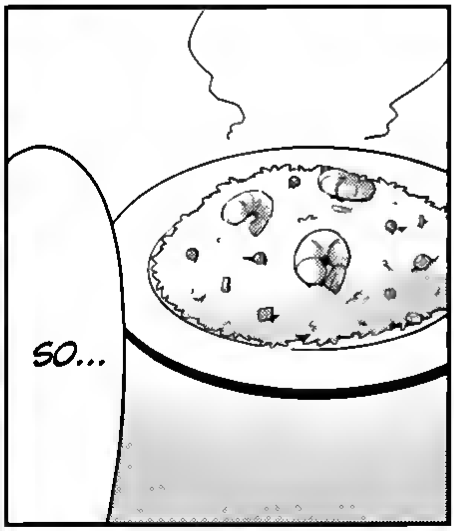
sizzle
sizzle
sizzle


YOU'RE LATE!
I BROUGHT YOUR ORDERS DE GESO.


AS YOU'D EXPECT, BAKING IN THE SUN IS QUITE TIRESOME...
AT LEAST LET US HAVE A PARASOL OR SOMETHING...

HOW IS THE COMFORT OF THE VIP SEATS?
THERE'S A LOT OF STUFF I WANT TO SAY ABOUT IT...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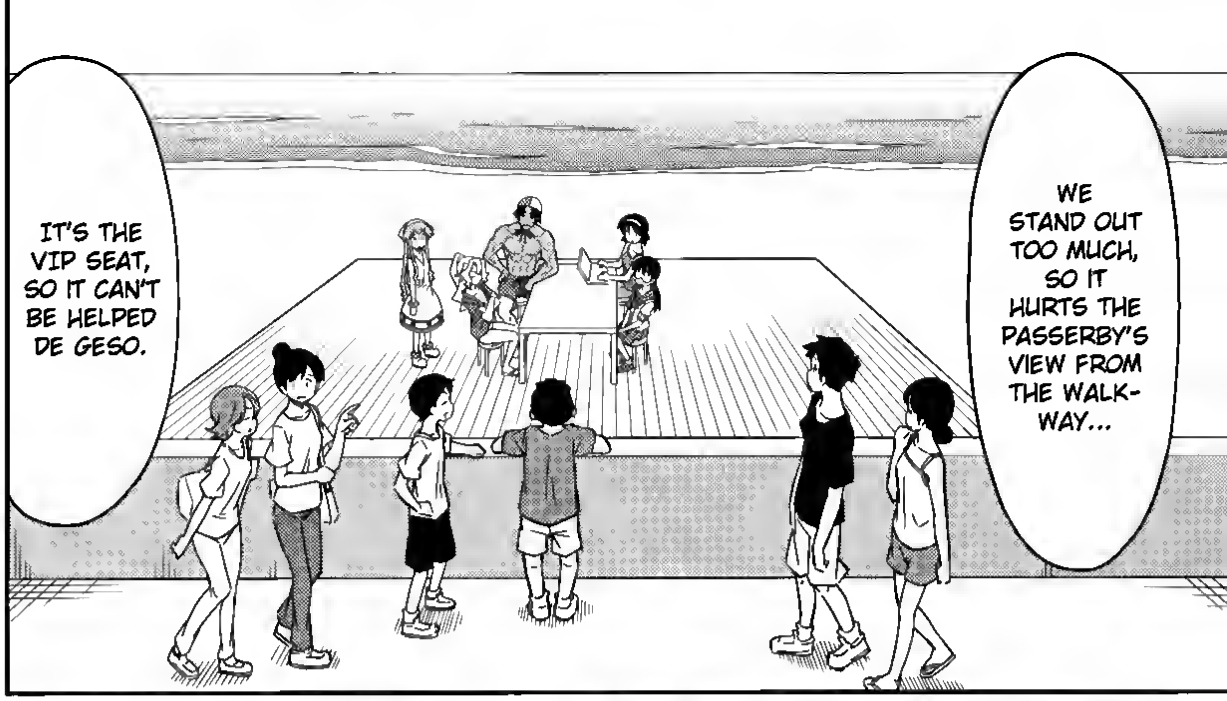
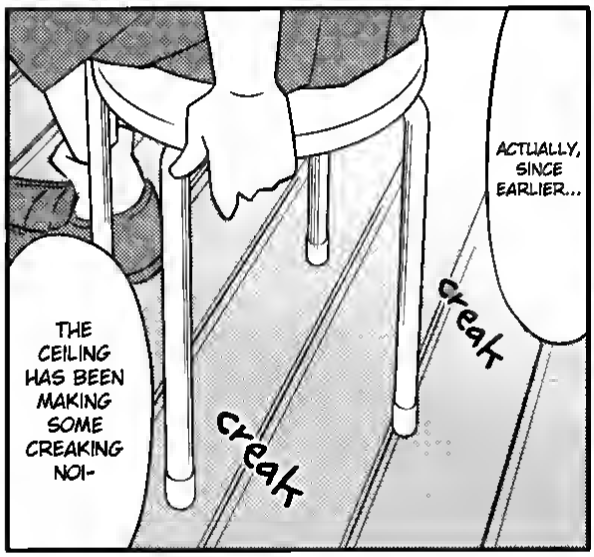

WE STAND OUT TOO MUCH, SO IT HURTS THE PASSERBY'S VIEW FROM THE WALK-WAY...
IT'S THE VIP SEAT, SO IT CAN'T BE HELPED DE GESO.


ACTUALLY, SINCE EARLIER...
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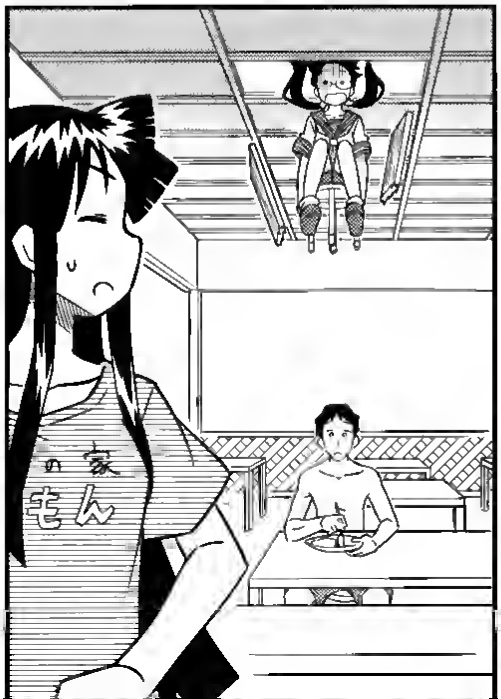
THE CEILING HAS BEEN MAKING SOME CREAKING NOI-

I-IKA CHAN...
I HAVE SOME CONCERNS AS WELL.
WHAT ARE THEY DE GESO?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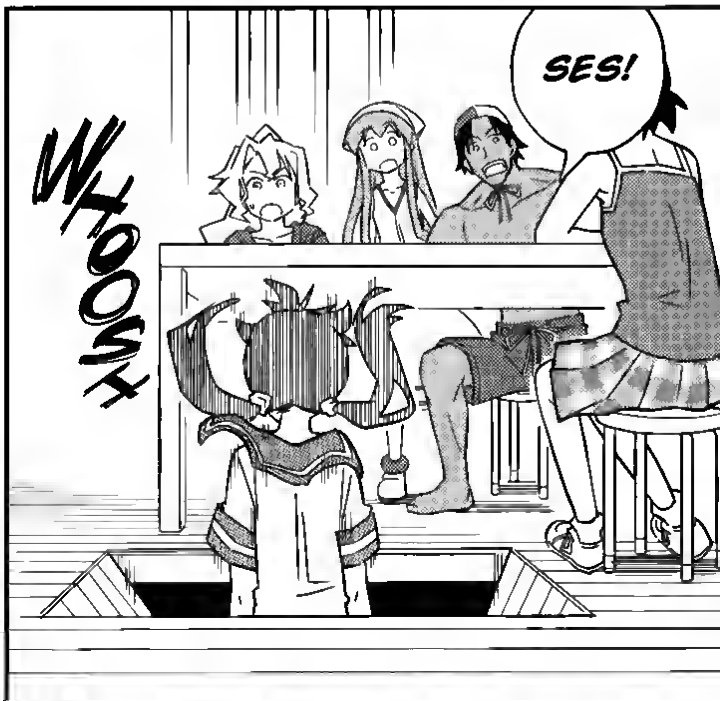
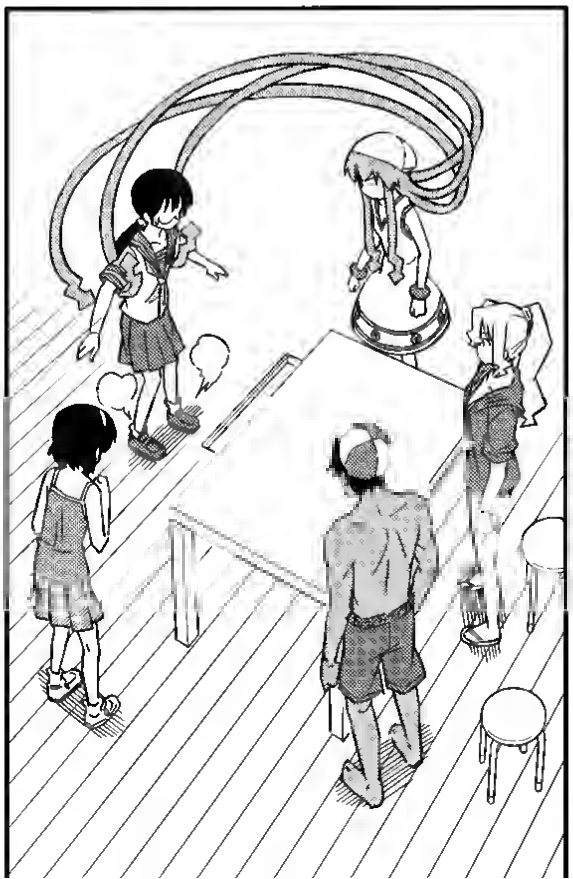
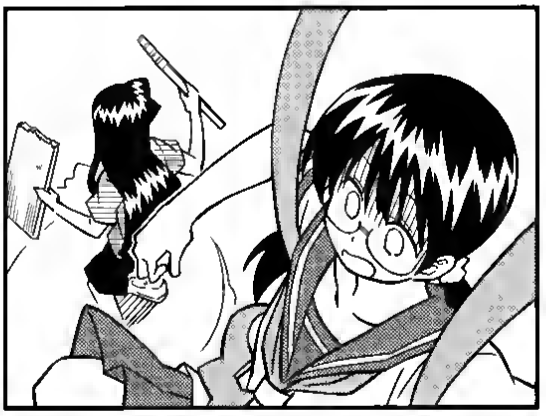
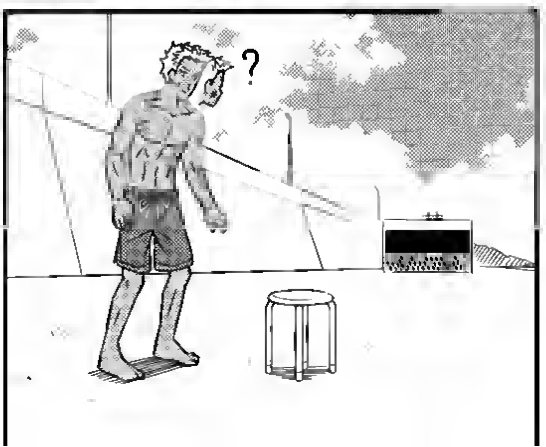
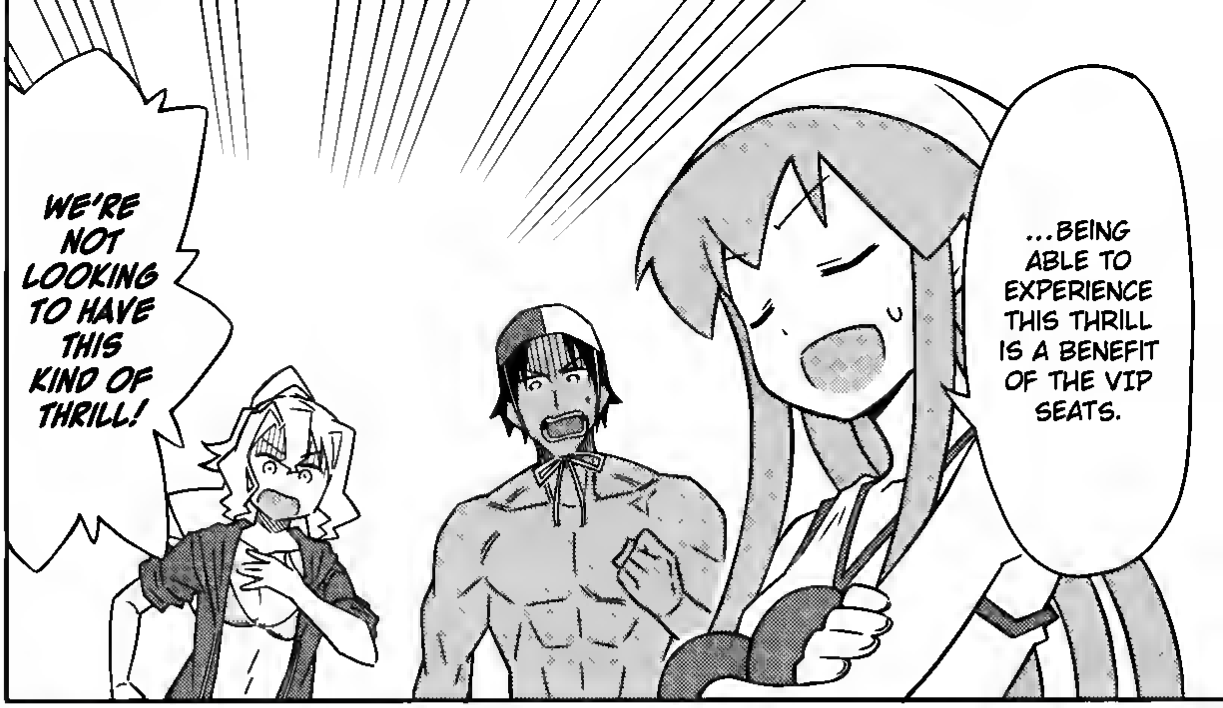

SES!
WHOOSH

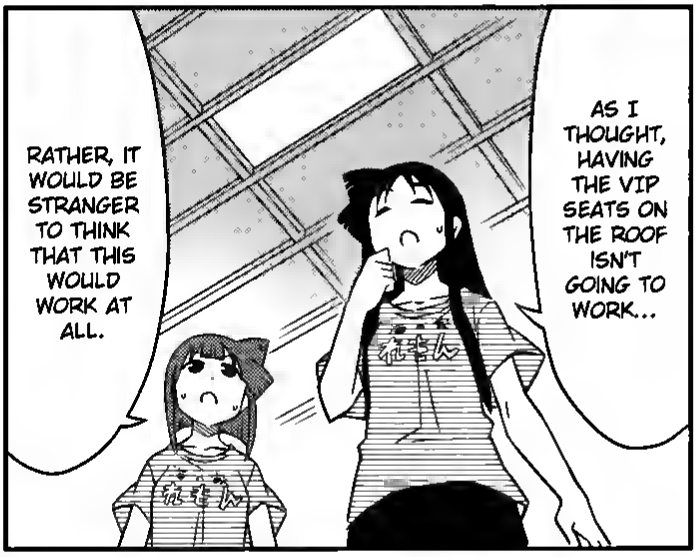


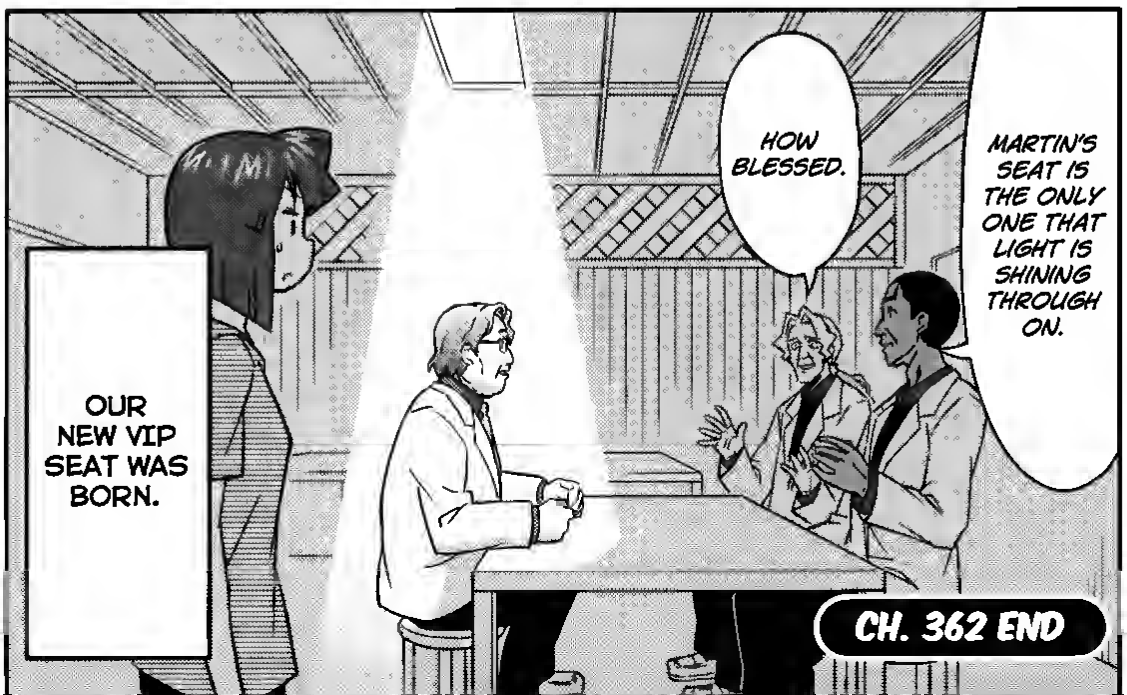





...BEING ABLE TO EXPERIENCE THIS THRILL IS A BENEFIT OF THE VIP SEATS.
WE'RE NOT LOOKING TO HAVE THIS KIND OF THRILL!

THE NEXT DAY
LEMON
WOAH!


AS I THOUGHT, HAVING THE VIP SEATS ON THE ROOF ISN'T GOING TO WORK...
RATHER, IT WOULD BE STRANGER TO THINK THAT THIS WOULD WORK AT ALL.


MARTIN'S SEAT IS THE ONLY ONE THAT LIGHT IS SHINING THROUGH ON.
HOW BLESSED.
OUR NEW VIP SEAT WAS BORN.
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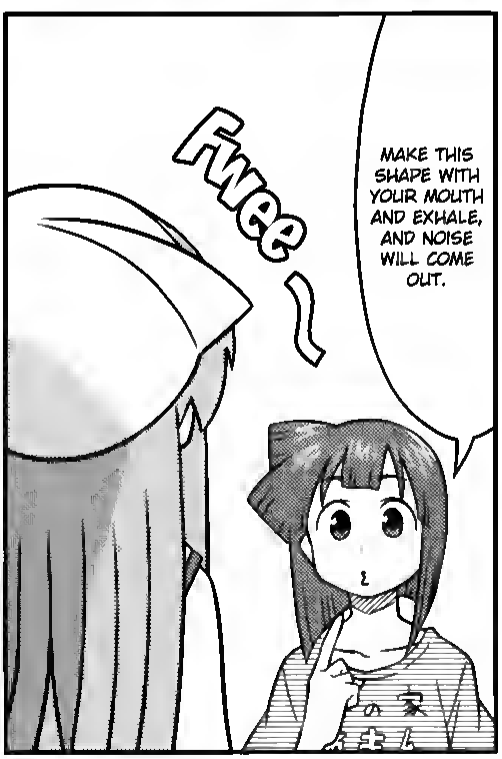
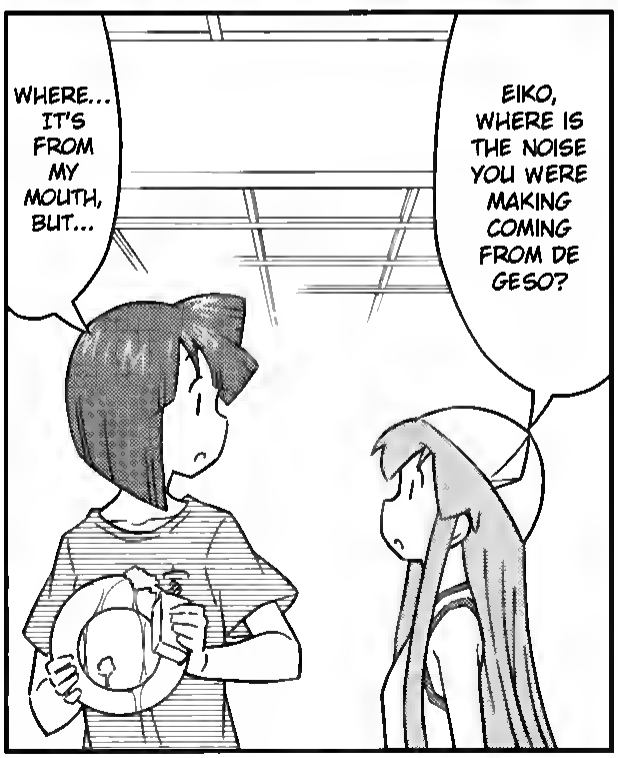
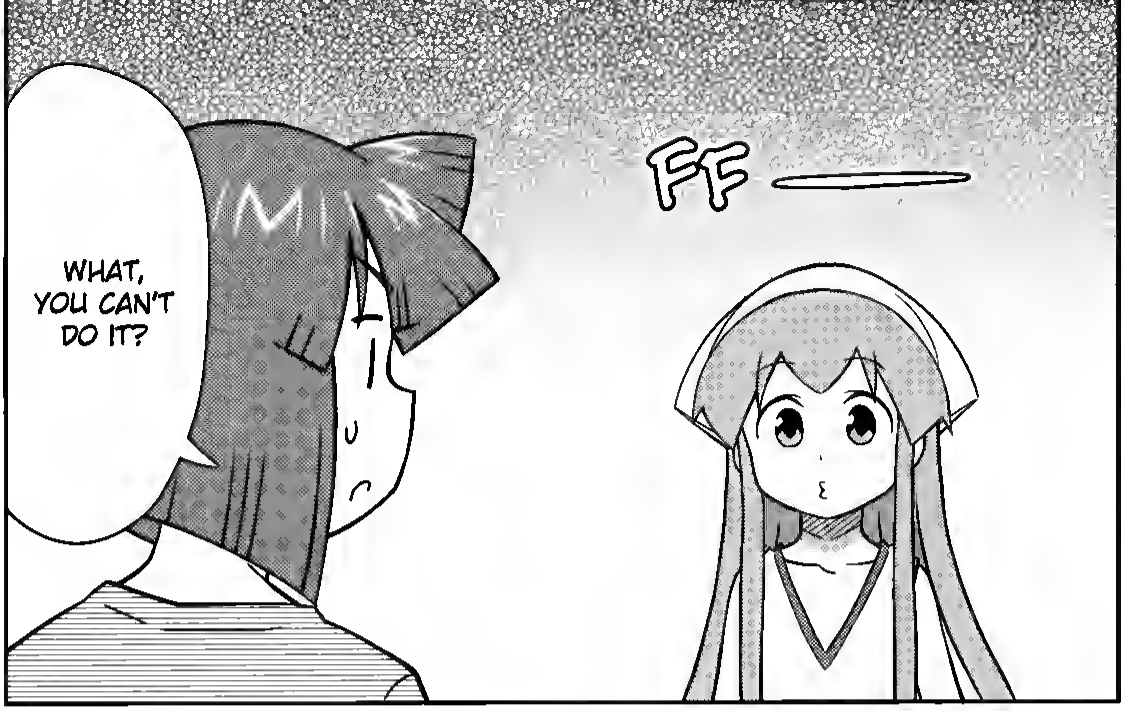
CHAPTER 363: SHALL WE WHISTLE?






WHAT, YOU CAN'T DO IT?
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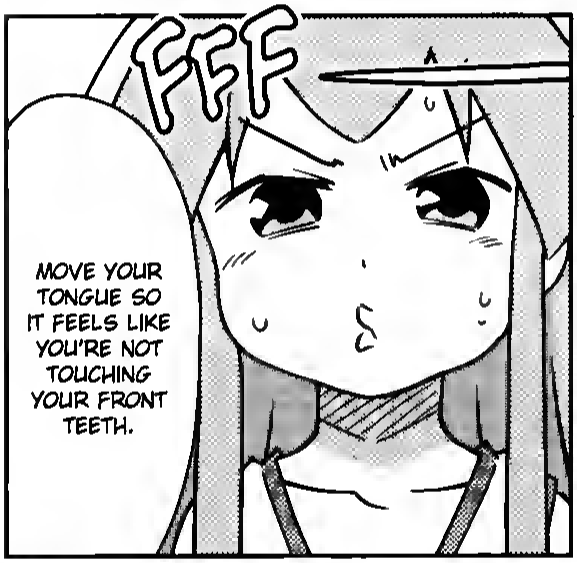
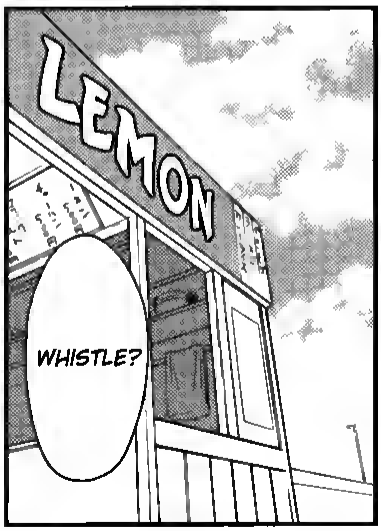
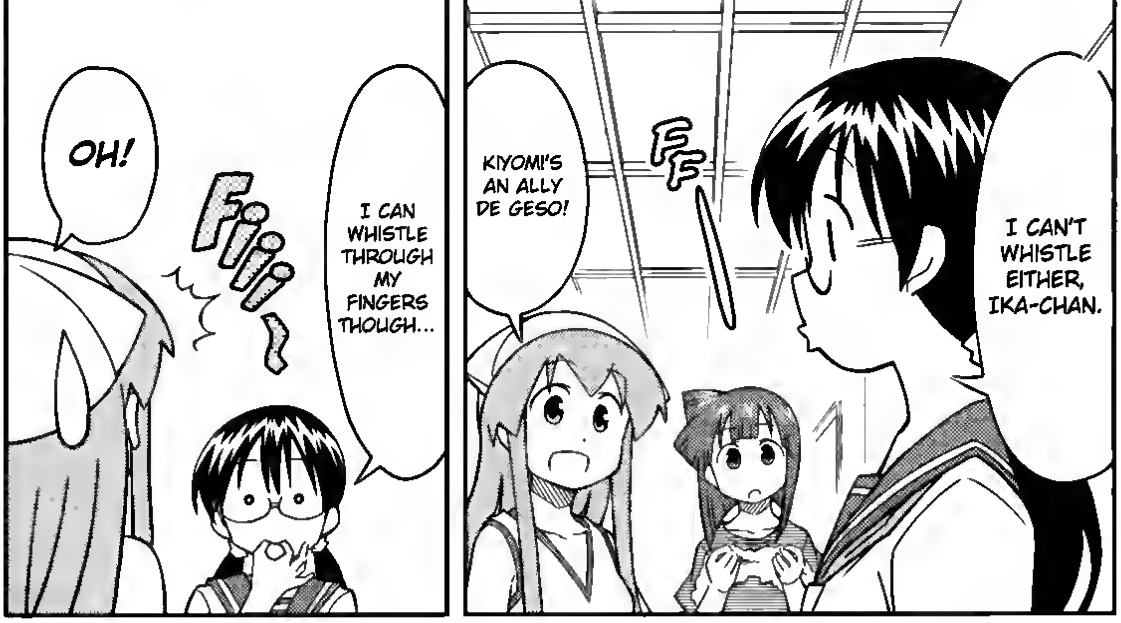
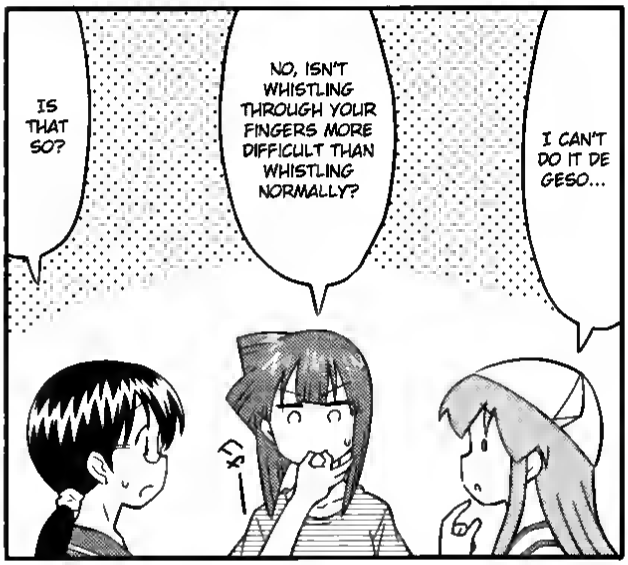

FFF
MOVE YOUR TONGUE SO IT FEELS LIKE YOU'RE NOT TOUCHING YOUR FRONT TEETH.

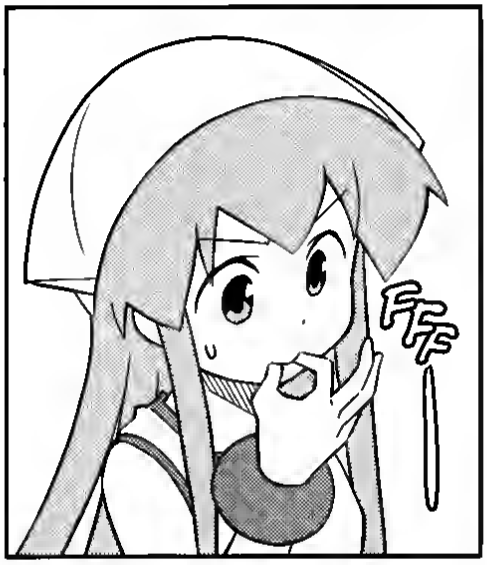
FF
CLOSE YOUR MOUTH MORE.


LEMON
WHISTLE?

SPLAT


I CAN WHISTLE THROUGH MY FINGERS THOUGH...
FIii~
OH!
I CAN'T WHISTLE EITHER, IKA-CHAN.
FF
KIYOMI'S AN ALLY DE GESO!


I CAN'T DO IT DE GESO...
NO, ISN'T WHISTLING THROUGH YOUR FINGERS MORE DIFFICULT THAN WHISTLING NORMALLY?
IS THAT SO?
FU~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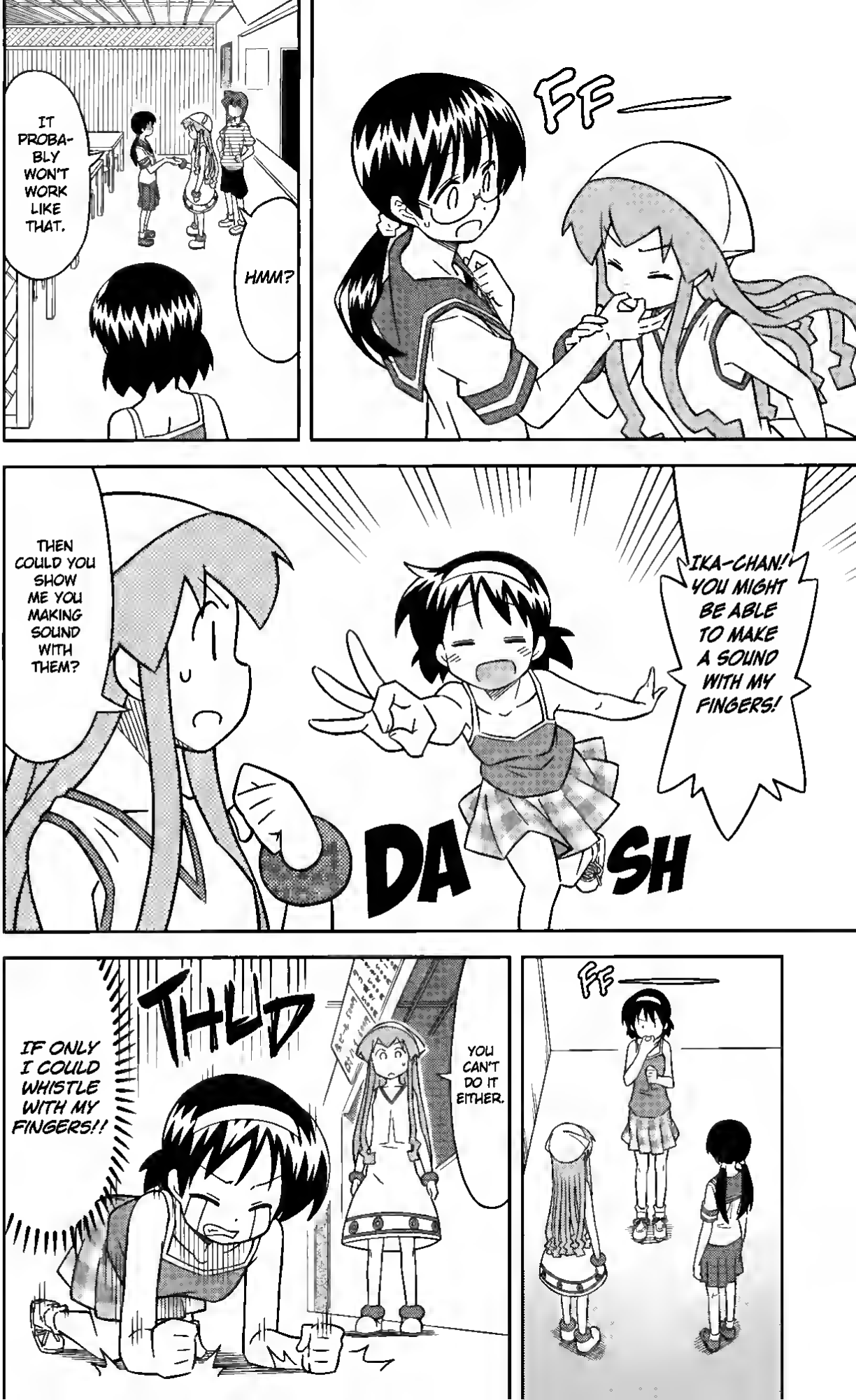
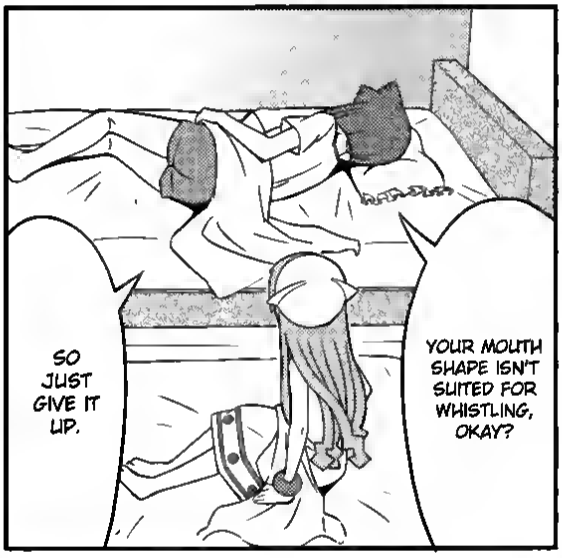
COULD YOU SHOW ME HOW YOU MADE YOUR FINGERS LAST TIME?
LIKE THIS?

THE SHAPE MY FINGERS ARE MAKING AREN'T CUT OUT TO BE WHISTLING DE GESO.
KIYOMI'S FINGERS ARE SPECIAL DE GESO!


IT PROBA-BLY WON'T WORK LIKE THAT.
HMM?
FF
THEN COULD YOU SHOW ME YOU MAKING SOUND WITH THEM?
IKA-CHAN! YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO MAKE A SOUND WITH MY FINGERS!
DA SH
IF ONLY I COULD WHISTLE WITH MY FINGERS!!
THUD
YOU CAN'T DO IT EITHER.
FF

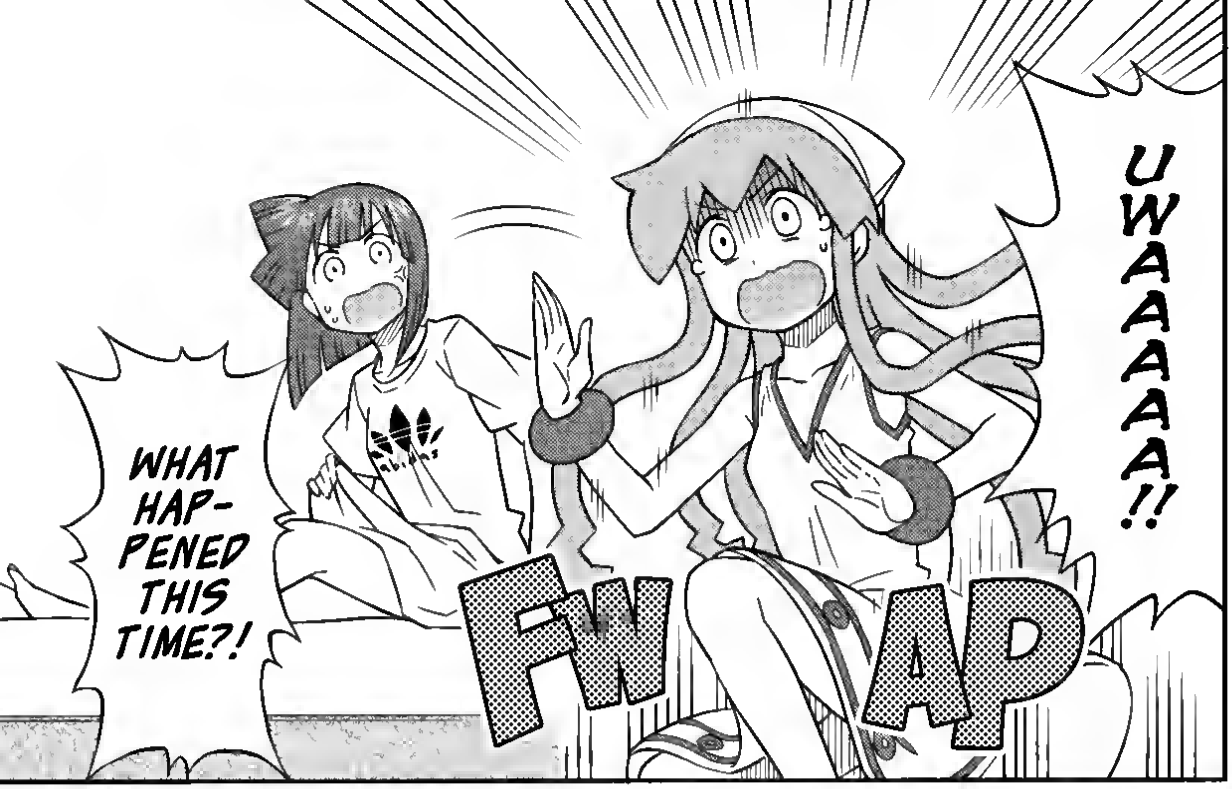
IKA-NEECHAN, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I THOUGHT YOU STILL COULDN'T WHISTLE.
FF
FF
FF
I'M HOME.
FF
FF
FF
FF
FF
FF
WHY DE GESO?
STOP TRYING TO WHISTLE AT NIGHT.
FOR HOW LONG ARE YOU GOING TO CON-TINUE!?
FF
FF

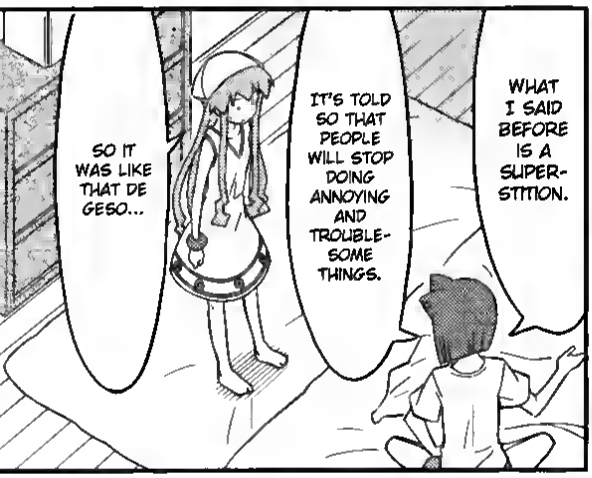
IF YOU WHISTLE AT NIGHT, GHOSTS, SNAKES, ROBBERS AND KIDNAPPERS WILL COME...
ANYWAY, IT'S SAID THAT BAD THINGS WILL HAPPEN.
THAT WAS CLOSE DE GESO...

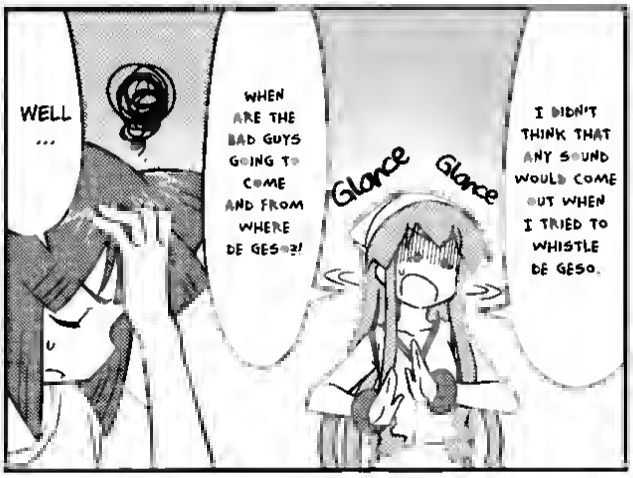

YOUR MOUTH SHAPE ISN'T SUITED FOR WHISTLING, OKAY?
SO JUST GIVE IT UP.

~ Fuee

I'LL TRY AND GET IT TO MAKE NOISE ANYWAY DE GESO.

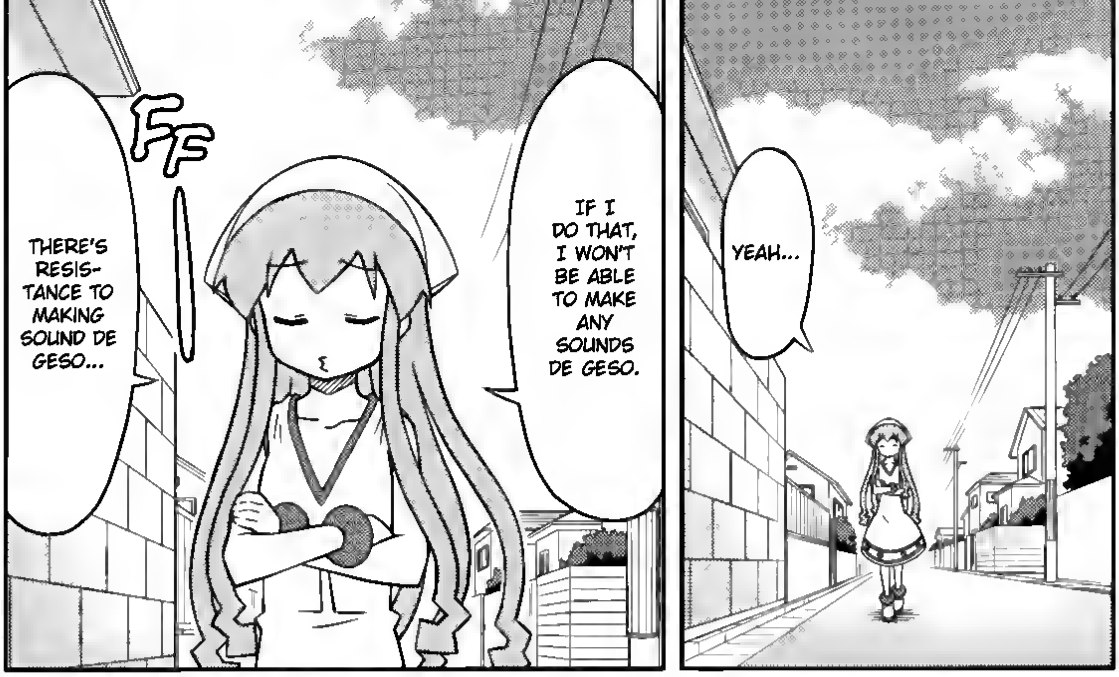

UWAAAAA!!
FWAP
WHAT HAP-PENED THIS TIME?!


SO IT WAS LIKE THAT DE GESO...
IT'S TOLD SO THAT PEOPLE WILL STOP DOING ANNOYING AND TROUBLE-SOME THINGS.
WHAT I SAID BEFORE IS A SUPER-STITION.


WELL ...
WHEN ARE THE BAD GUYS GOING TO COME AND FROM WHERE DE GESO?!
Glance Glance
I DIDN'T THINK THAT ANY SOUND WOULD COME OUT WHEN I TRIED TO WHISTLE DE GESO.

FFF
IT'S STILL BAD.

I'M GOING TO WHISTLE ONE MORE TIME, SO LISTEN CLOSELY DE GESO.
BUT... MY EFFORTS HAVE GIVEN RESULTS! I AM FINALLY ABLE TO MAKE NOISE COME OUT WHEN I TRY AND WHISTLE DE GESO.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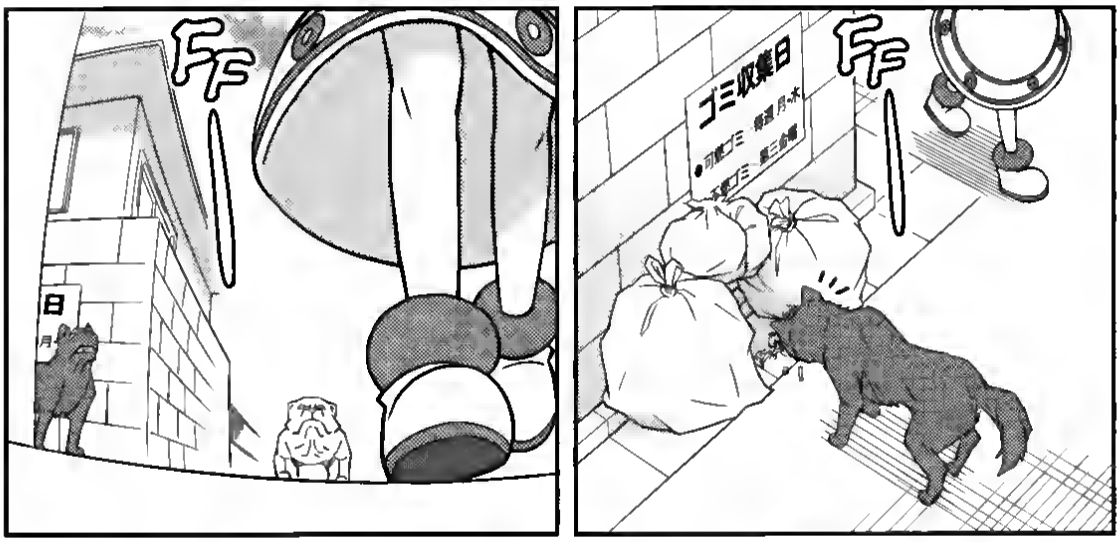
THERE'S RESIS-TANCE TO MAKING SOUND DE GESO...
IF I DO THAT, I WON'T BE ABLE TO MAKE ANY SOUNDS DE GESO.
YEAH...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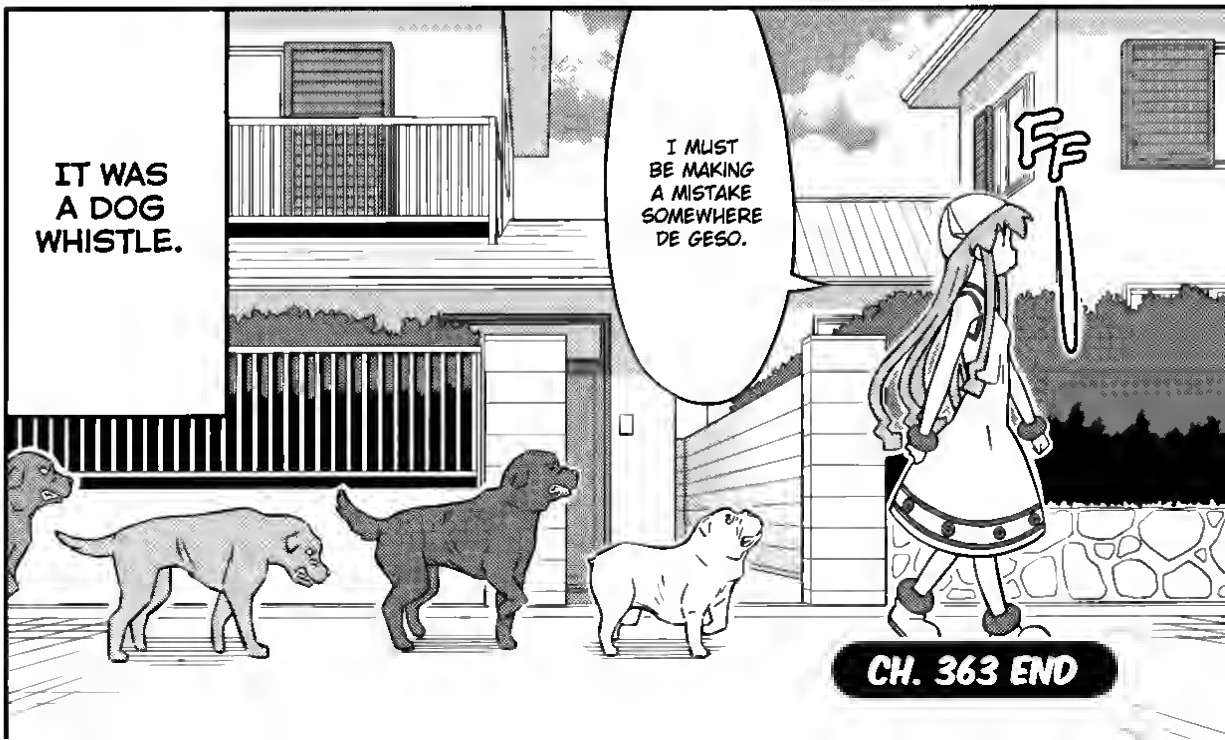
IT WAS A DOG WHISTLE.
I MUST BE MAKING A MISTAKE SOMEWHERE DE GESO.
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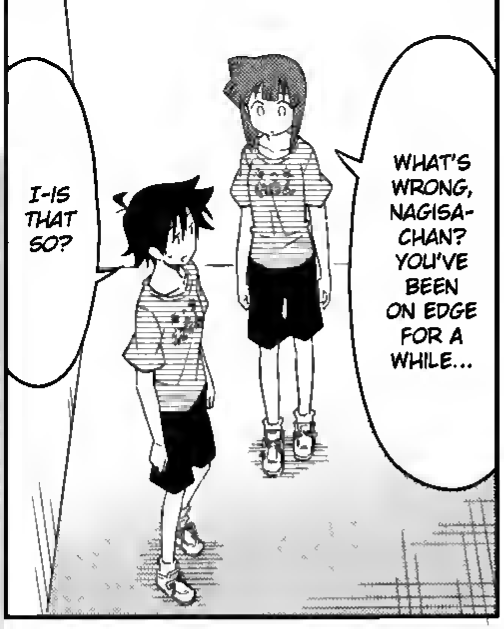
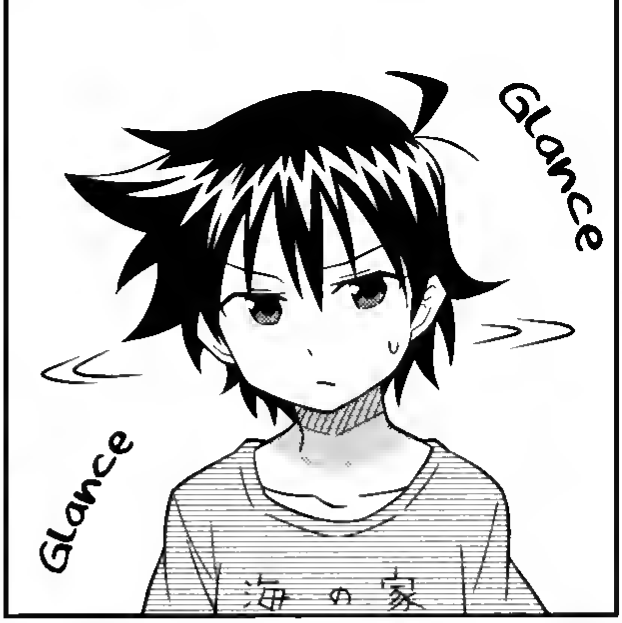
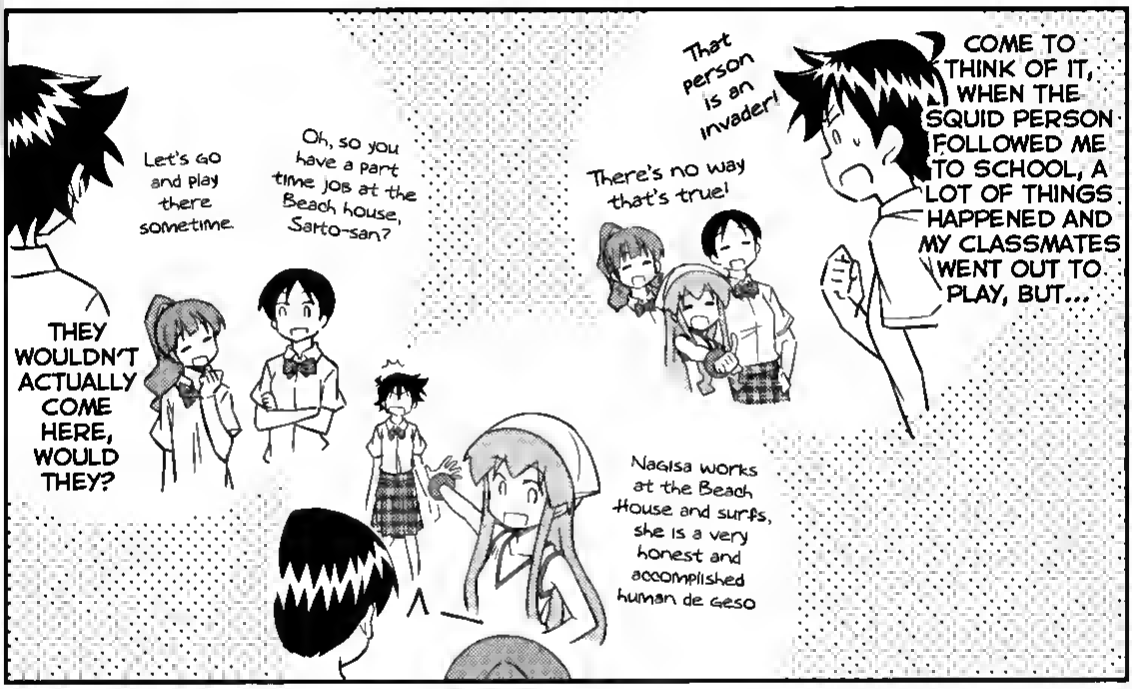
CHAPTER 364: AREN'T THOSE SCHOOL FRIENDS?






COME TO THINK OF IT, WHEN THE SQUID PERSON FOLLOWED ME TO SCHOOL, A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED AND MY CLASSMATES WENT OUT TO PLAY, BUT...
That person is an invader!
There's no way that's true!
Oh, so you have a part time job at the Beach house, Sarto-san?
Let's go and play there sometime.
THEY WOULDN'T ACTUALLY COME HERE, WOULD THEY?
Nagisa works at the Beach House and surfs, she is a very honest and accomplished human de Geso

IN THE FIRST PLACE, I DON'T EVEN TALK TO THEM THAT MUCH, AND I'M NOT FRIENDS WITH THEM, EITHER. THEY WOULDN'T COME ALL THE WAY OUT HERE.
IT MUST BE A JOKE, RIGHT?

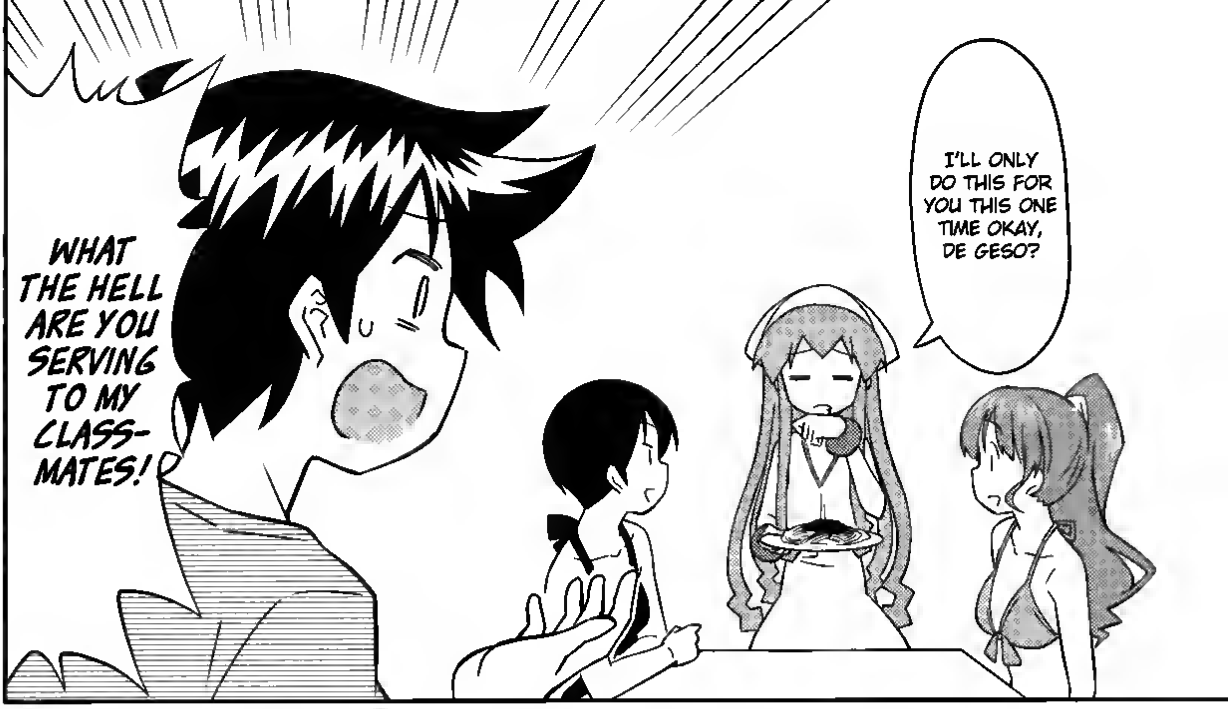
THEY ACTUALLY CAME!
WE CAME TO PLAY.

OH, YOU'RE THE ONES FROM NAGISA'S SCHOOL.
SQUID GIRL'S HERE AS WELL!

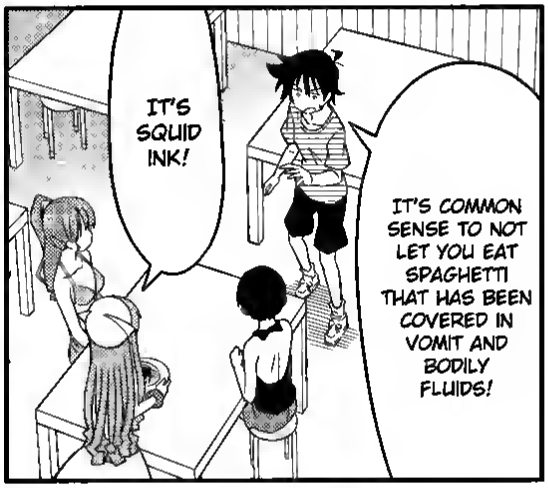
WEL... WEL-COME.
THE BEACH HOUSE'S UNIFORM SUITS YOU!
TH-THANKS ...

I GIVE UP.
Let's see...
What do you want de geso?

FOR NOW, I SHOULDN'T CONCERN MYSELF WITH MY CLASSMATES OR THE SQUID PERSON.
SINCE I SAID THAT THE SQUID PERSON IS AN INVADER AT SCHOOL, MY CREDIBILITY WILL KEEP GOING DOWN...
CHIZURU-SAN'S HERE, SO THE SQUID PERSON IS ACTING MORE MATURE THAN USUAL...
WHAT AM I HEARING!?
SPEAKING ABOUT SQUID INK, COULD YOU MAKE SOMETHING LIKE SQUID INK PASTA WITH IT?
SHOULDN'T YOU BE MORE SURPRISED ABOUT HER TENTACLES?!
I WAS SO SURPRISED WHEN IKA MUSUME-CHAN SPIT UP SQUID INK AT SCHOOL.
WOW!
Blegh
IT WOULD JUST BE A WASTE OF TIME TO GET INVOLVED WITH THEM!
NO, NO!


WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU SERVING TO MY CLASS-MATES!
I'LL ONLY DO THIS FOR YOU THIS ONE TIME OKAY, DE GESO?

NO, LET ME WORRY ABOUT YOU!
IT'S OKAY, DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME.


IT'S SQUID INK!
IT'S COMMON SENSE TO NOT LET YOU EAT SPAGHETTI THAT HAS BEEN COVERED IN VOMIT AND BODILY FLUIDS!

I UNDER-STAND, IF YOU'RE GOING TO GO THAT FAR, I'LL HAVE TO CHECK FOR POISON!
Chomp

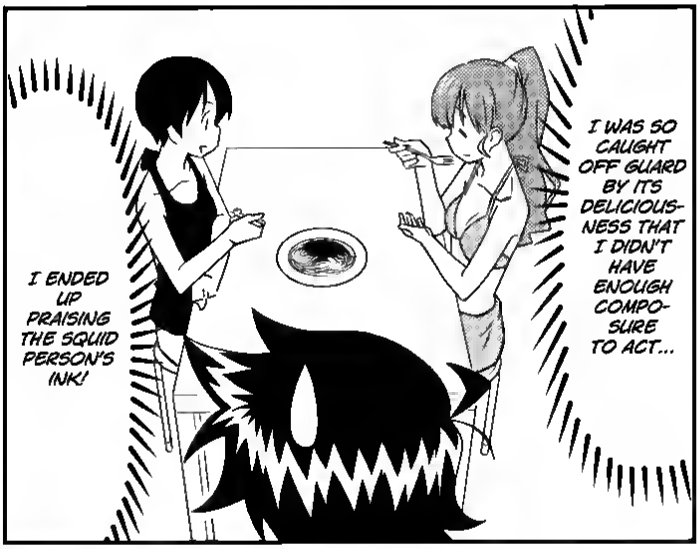
I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO PREPARE TO PUT MY LIFE ON THE LINE...!
Poison!?
THAT'S RIGHT, IF I WERE TO EAT IT AND BE IN PAIN, I COULD SHOW HOW DANGEROUS THE SQUID PERSON IS!

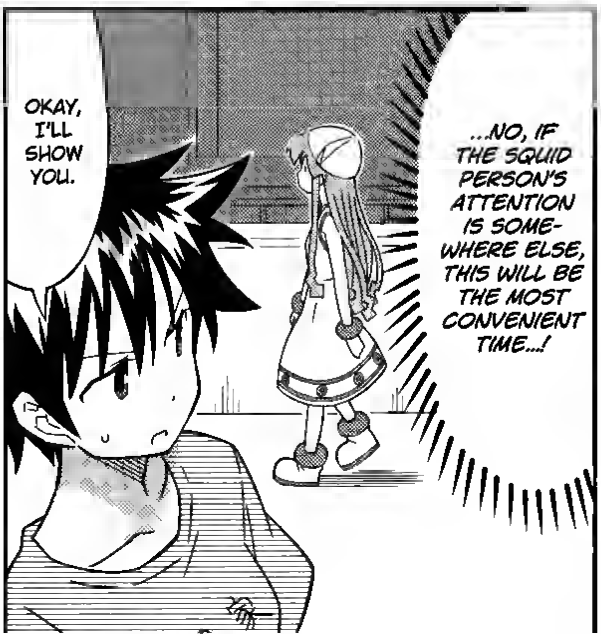
DE-

AH...
WHAT, SO IT REALLY IS DELICIOUS? WE'RE GOING TO HAVE SOME AS WELL!

DELI-CIOUS!!

LEMON
AH, THAT'S RIGHT.

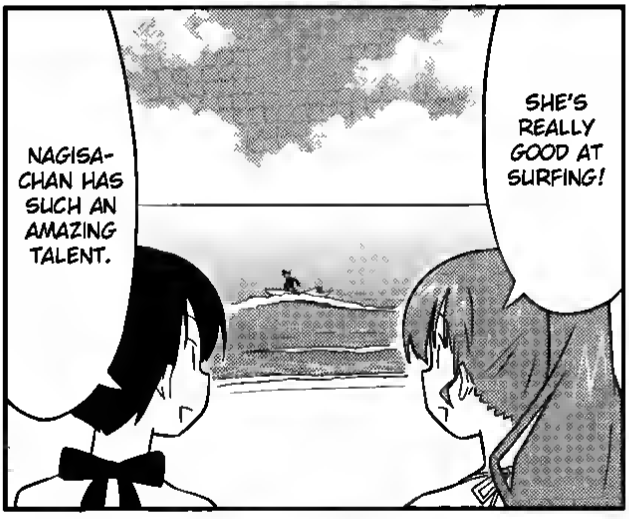

I ENDED UP PRAISING THE SQUID PERSON'S INK!
I WAS SO CAUGHT OFF GUARD BY ITS DELICIOUS-NESS THAT I DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH COMPO-SURE TO ACT...


OKAY, I'LL SHOW YOU.
...NO, IF THE SQUID PERSON'S ATTENTION IS SOME-WHERE ELSE, THIS WILL BE THE MOST CONVENIENT TIME...!

EH, SURF-ING?
YOU'RE GOOD AT SURFING RIGHT, NAGISA-CHAN? COULD YOU SHOW ME SOME?

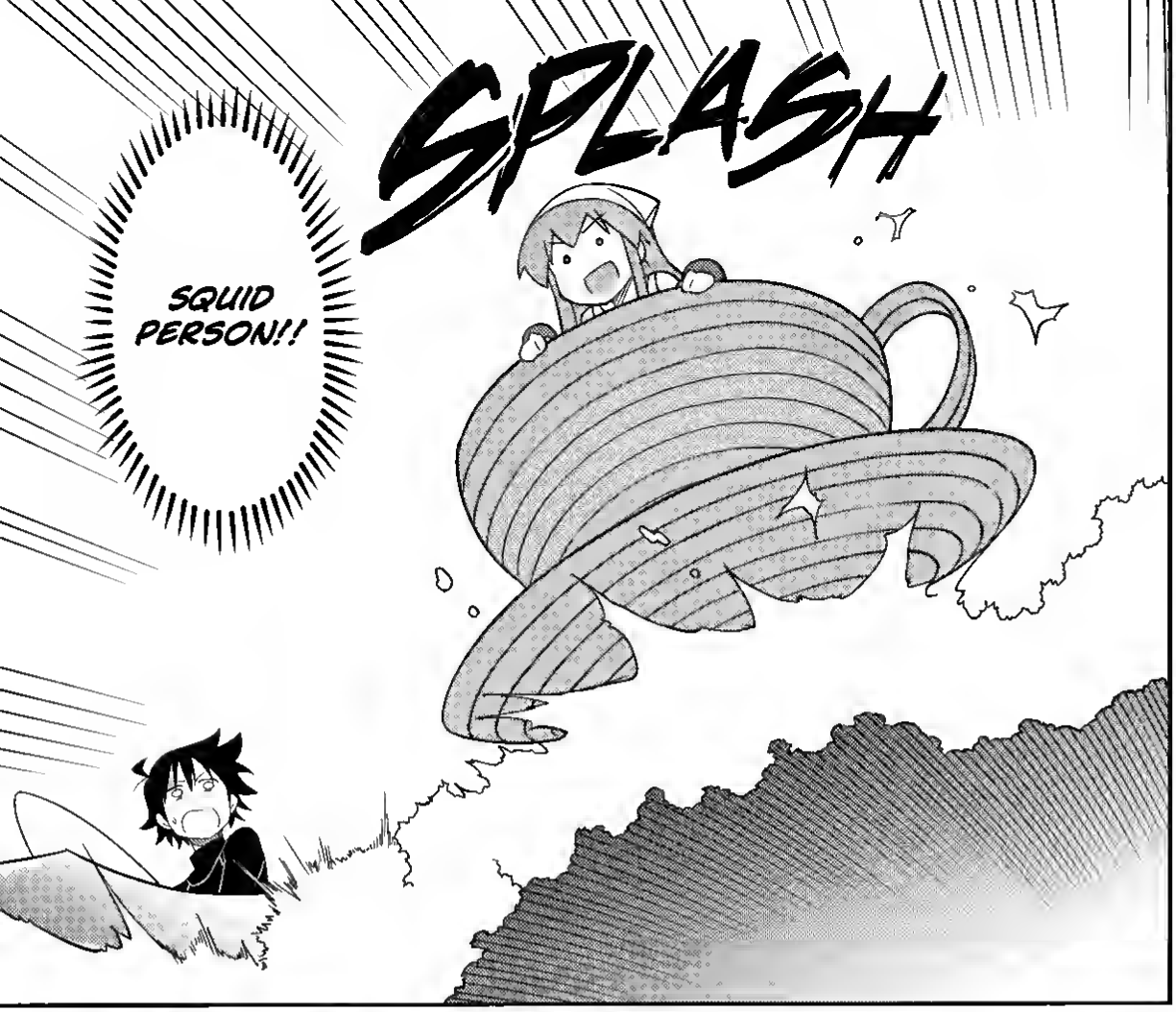
WHOOSH

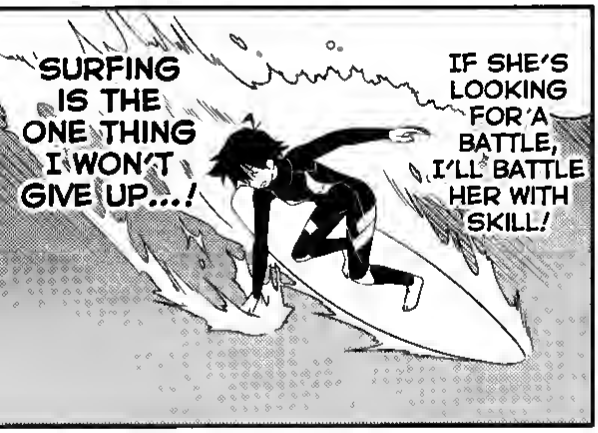
SURFING IS MY ONLY REDEEMING FEATURE, AFTER ALL.
BEING PRAISED DOESN'T FEEL THAT BAD.


NAGISA-CHAN HAS SUCH AN AMAZING TALENT.
SHE'S REALLY GOOD AT SURFING!

WHAT'S GOING ON...?

HM?
OH AMAZING!


SPLASH
SQUID PERSON!!


SURFING IS THE ONE THING I WON'T GIVE UP...!
IF SHE'S LOOKING FOR A BATTLE, I'LL BATTLE HER WITH SKILL!

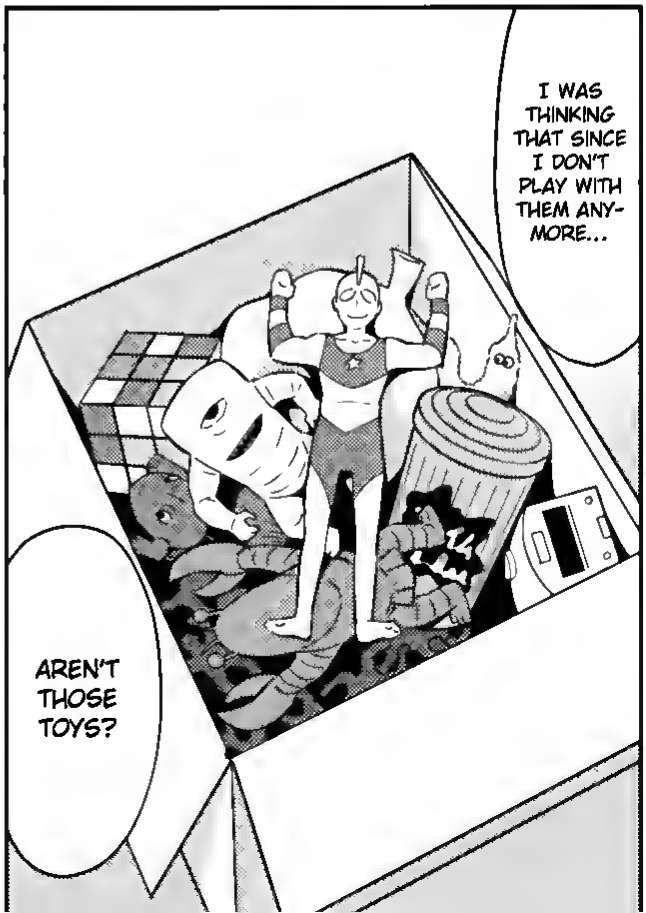
OH NO...
SLIP

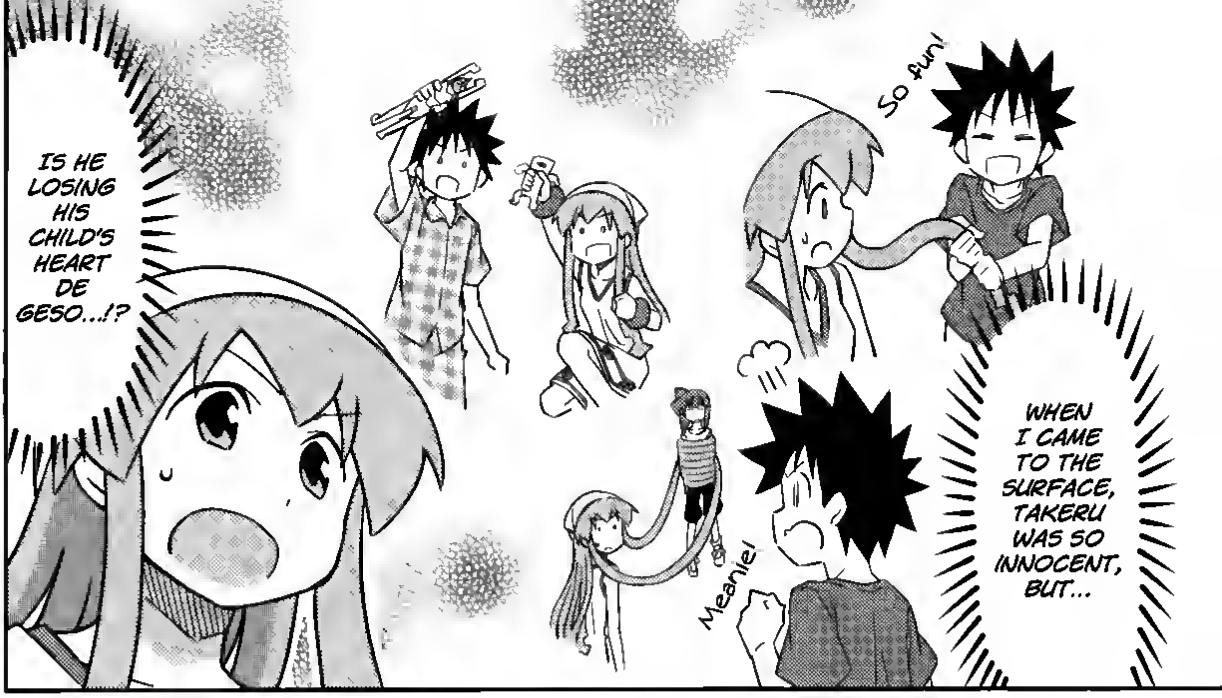
NAGISA-CHAN'S SURFING? IT DOESN'T EVEN COMPARE TO IKA'S.
IF SHE TALKS ABOUT THAT AT SCHOOL...
THERE'S NO DOUBT SHE'LL SAY SOMETHING LIKE THAT!

Slush
...HMM?
AH... TO FALL DOWN HERE, SO UN-COOL...
GETTING INVOLVED WITH THE SQUID PERSON WAS A WASTE AFTER ALL
YOU TWO ARE AMAZING!
SQUID PERSON...
IS IT OKAY IF WE COME AGAIN?
...YEAH.
FRIEND...
AS A FRIEND.
NEXT TIME TEACH US HOW TO SURF.

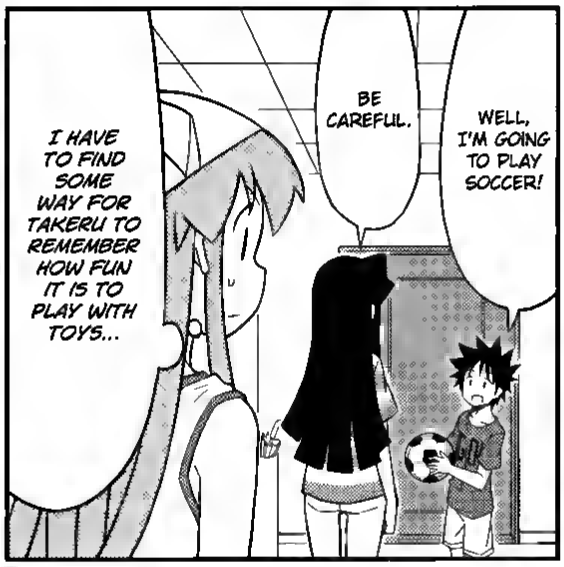
CH. 364 END

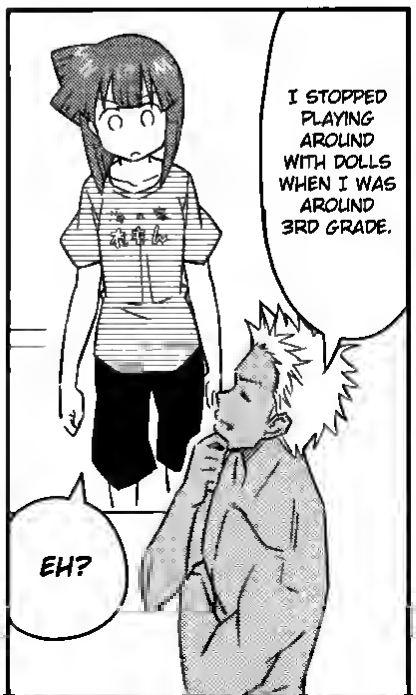
CHAPTER 365: SHALL WE GRADUATE FROM TOYS?



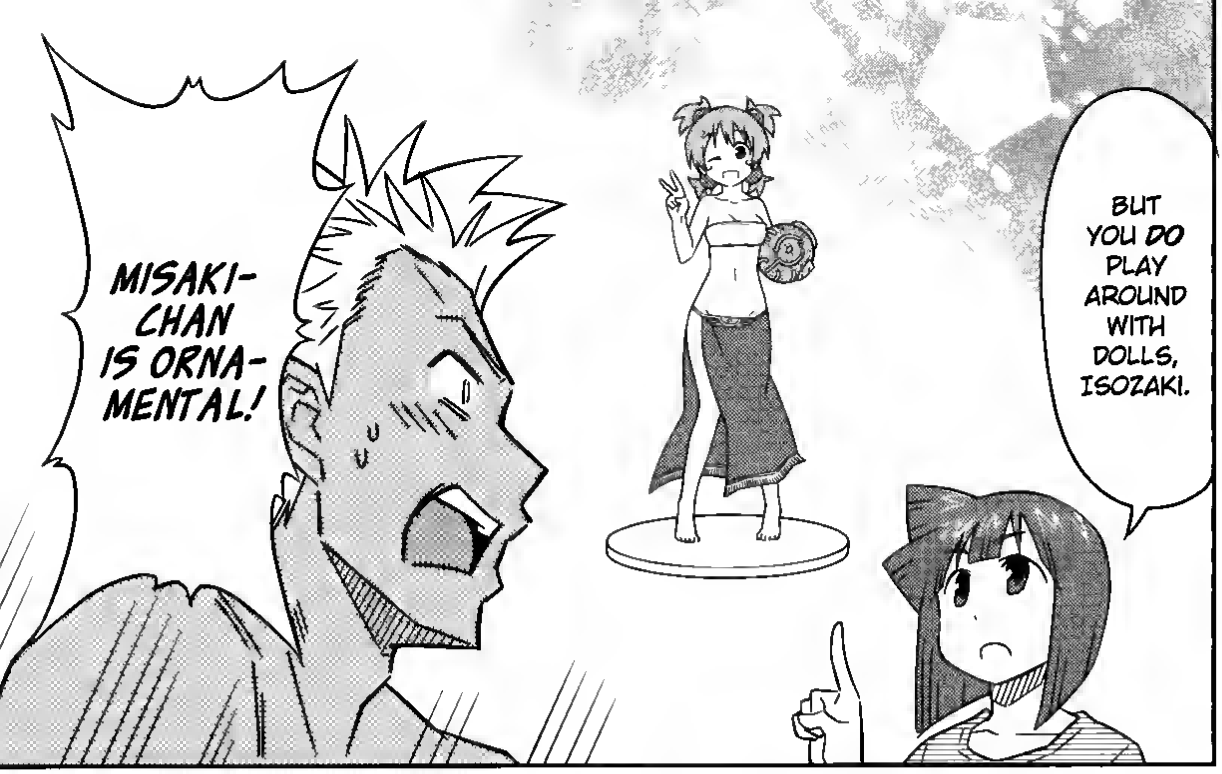

IS HE LOSING HIS CHILD'S HEART DE GESO...!?
So fun!
WHEN I CAME TO THE SURFACE, TAKERU WAS SO INNOCENT, BUT...
Meanie!

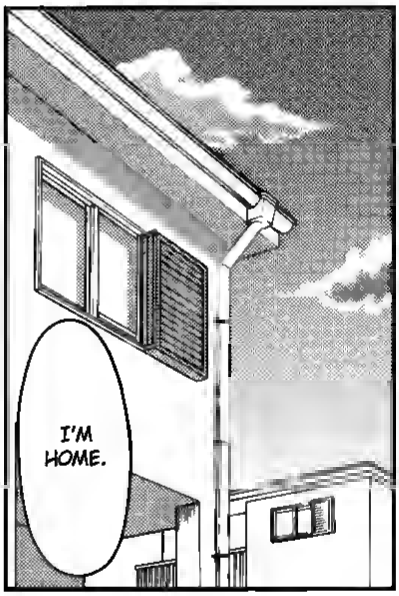
LEMON
OH, SOMETHING ABOUT TAKERU-KUN.

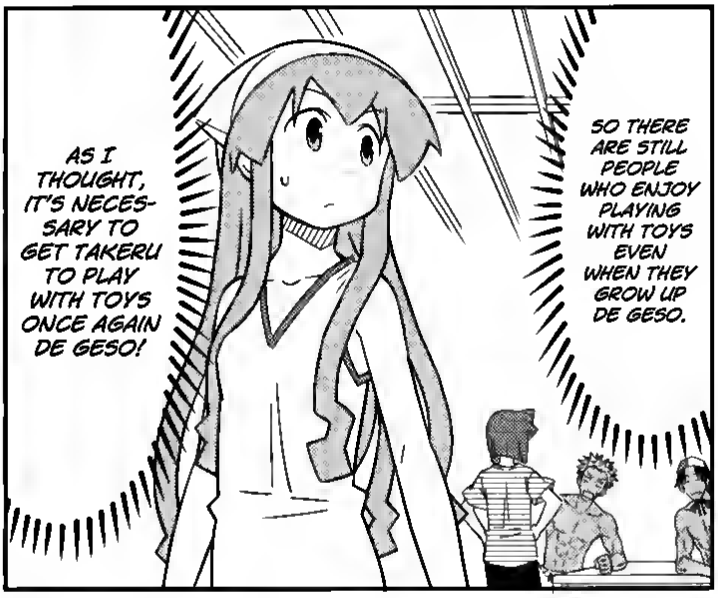

I HAVE TO FIND SOME WAY FOR TAKERU TO REMEMBER HOW FUN IT IS TO PLAY WITH TOYS...
BE CAREFUL.
WELL, I'M GOING TO PLAY SOCCER!


I STOPPED PLAYING AROUND WITH DOLLS WHEN I WAS AROUND 3RD GRADE.
EH?

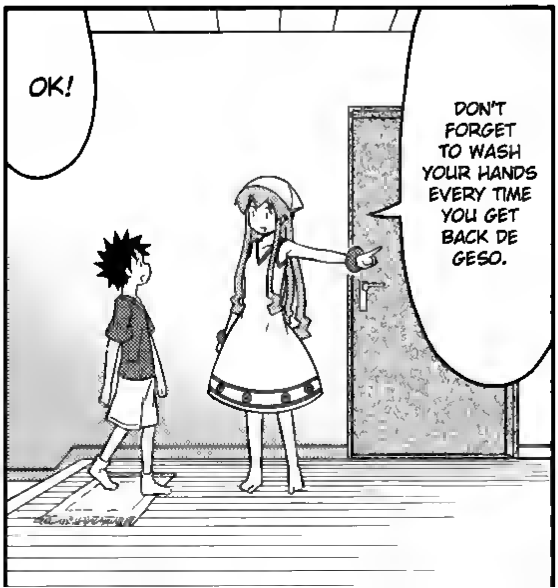
ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT ME?
BETTER THAN PLAYING GAMES INSIDE OF THE HOUSE ALL DAY.
IF HE'S PLAYING OUTSIDE, IT'S GOOD FOR HIS HEALTH, RIGHT?


MISAKI-CHAN IS ORNA-MENTAL!
BUT YOU DO PLAY AROUND WITH DOLLS, ISOZAKI.


I'M HOME.


AS I THOUGHT, IT'S NECES-SARY TO GET TAKERU TO PLAY WITH TOYS ONCE AGAIN DE GESO!
SO THERE ARE STILL PEOPLE WHO ENJOY PLAYING WITH TOYS EVEN WHEN THEY GROW UP DE GESO.

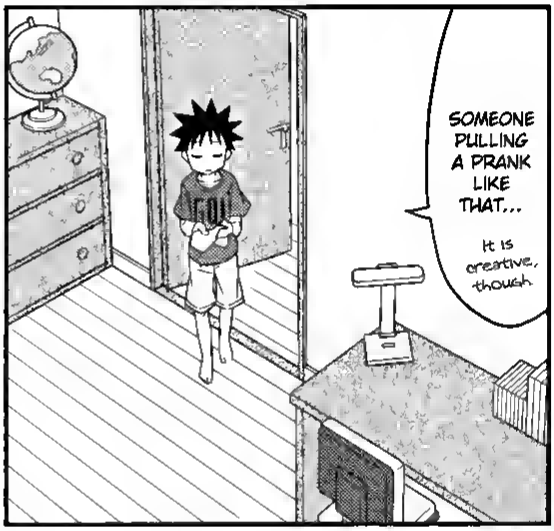
SOCCER REALLY IS THE MOST FUN!
GO!


OK!
DON'T FORGET TO WASH YOUR HANDS EVERY TIME YOU GET BACK DE GESO.

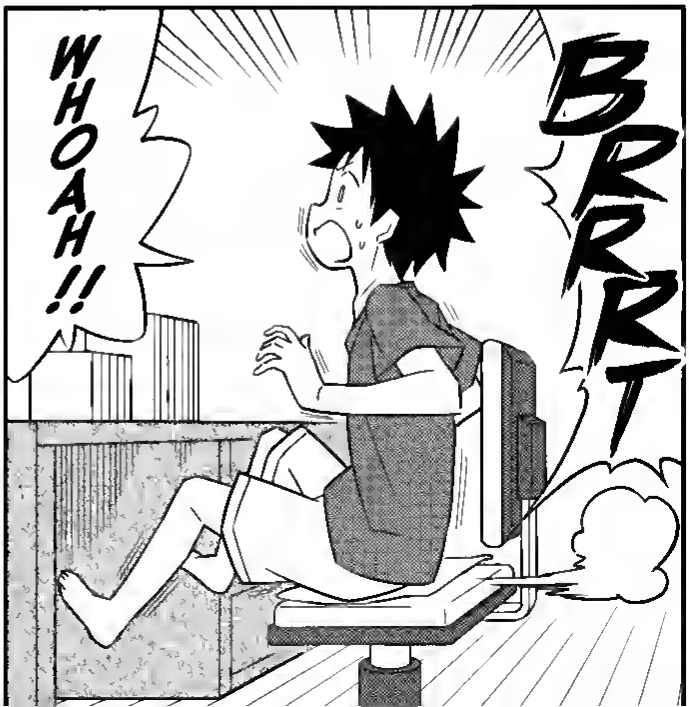
WHY IS THERE SLIME!?

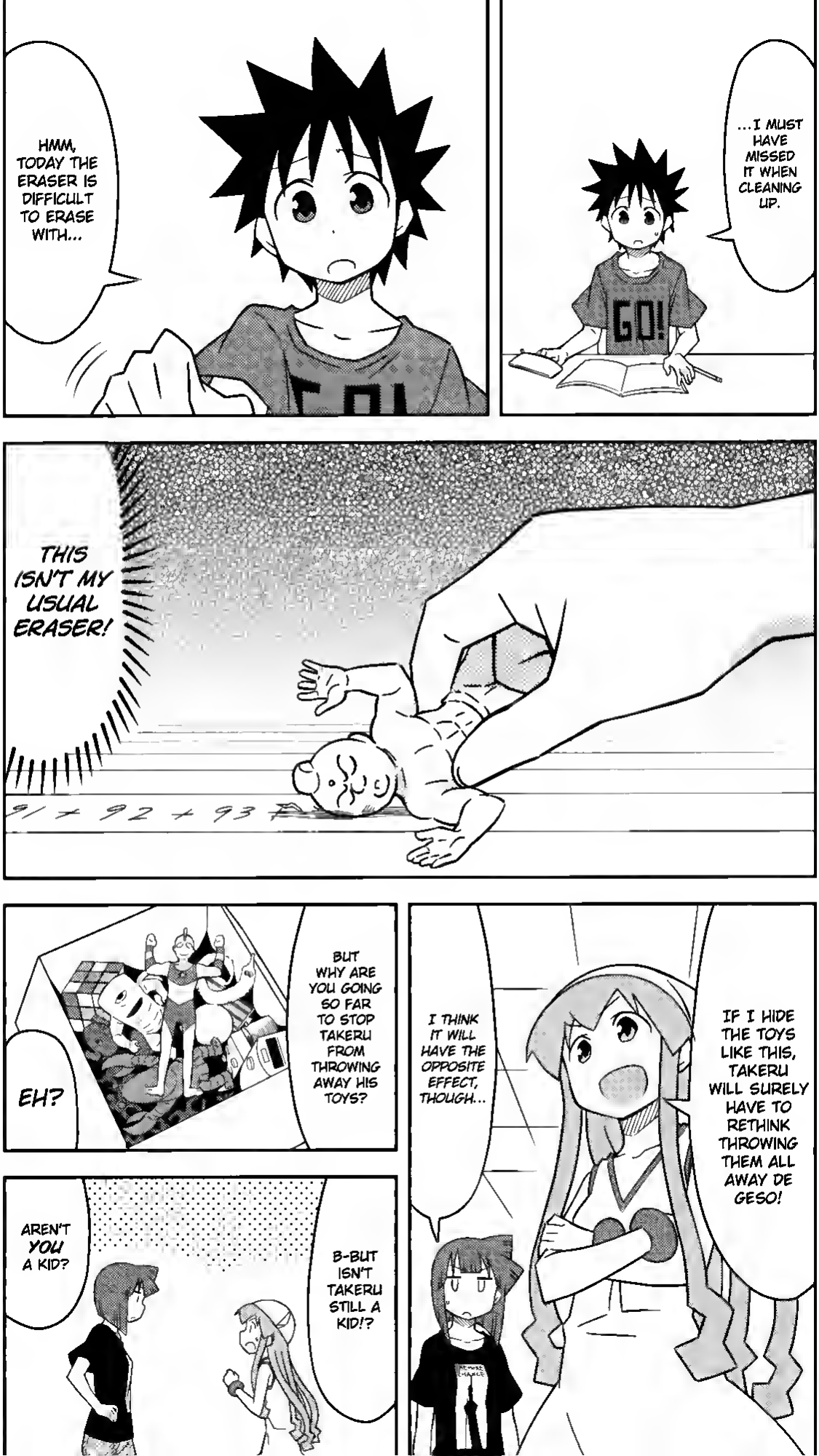
OOZE
LT
ハンドソープ
殺菌+消臭

WELL WHATEVER, I'LL DO MY HOME-WORK.

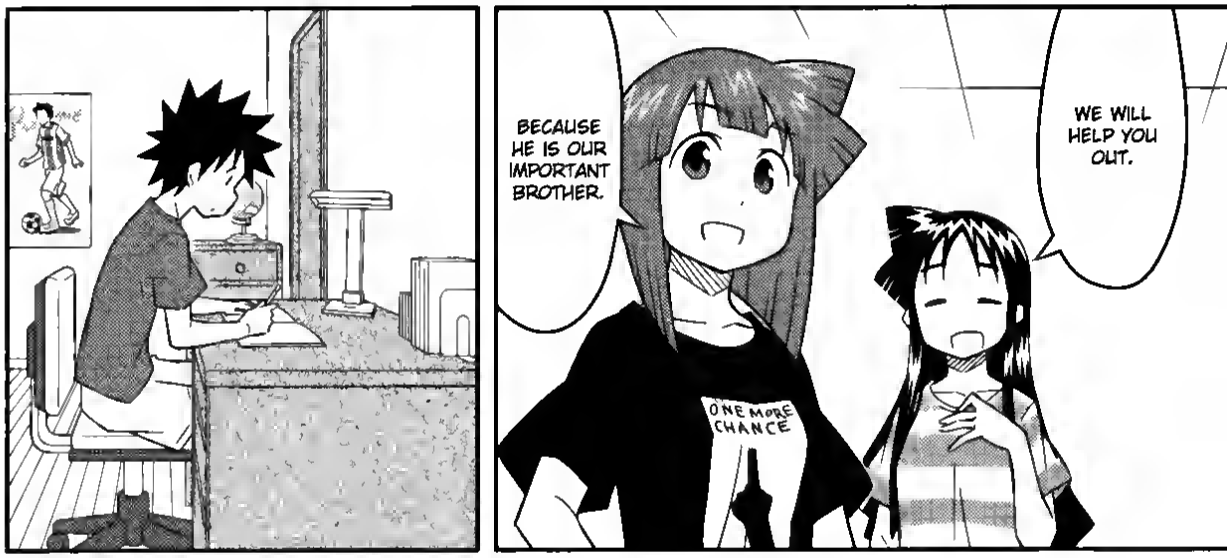

SOMEONE PULLING A PRANK LIKE THAT...
It is creative, though.

A BOO BOO CUSH-ION!?
Boo Boo Cushion

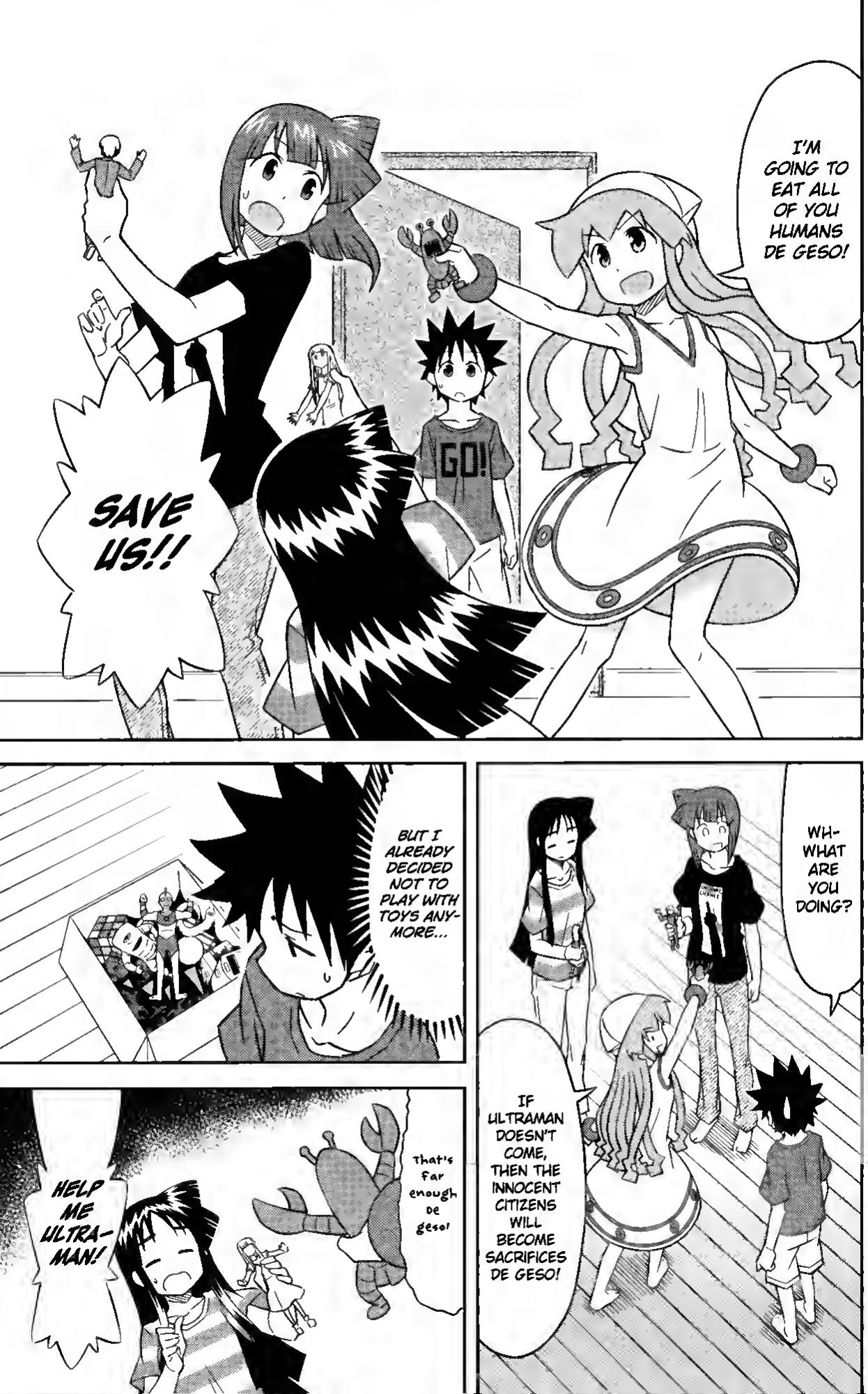

WHOAH!!
BRRRT

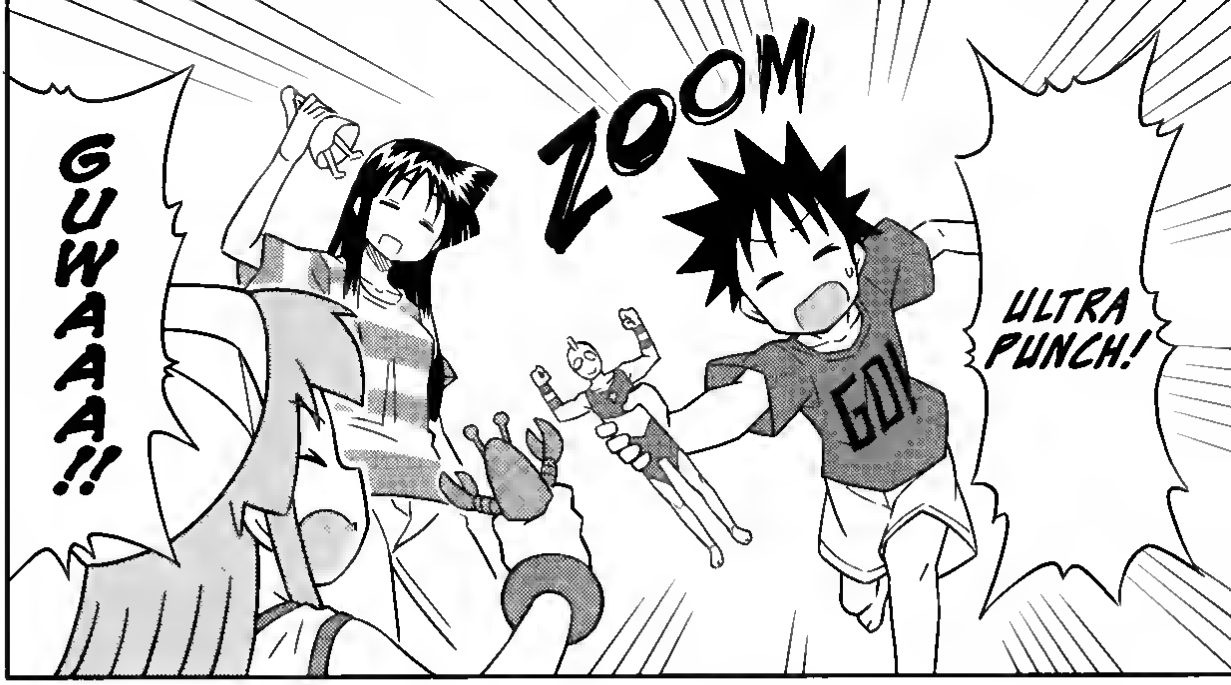

HMM, TODAY THE ERASER IS DIFFICULT TO ERASE WITH...
...I MUST HAVE MISSED IT WHEN CLEANING UP.
GO!
THIS ISN'T MY USUAL ERASER!
9/ × 92 × 93
EH?
BUT WHY ARE YOU GOING SO FAR TO STOP TAKERU FROM THROWING AWAY HIS TOYS?
I THINK IT WILL HAVE THE OPPOSITE EFFECT, THOUGH...
IF I HIDE THE TOYS LIKE THIS, TAKERU WILL SURELY HAVE TO RETHINK THROWING THEM ALL AWAY DE GESO!
AREN'T YOU A KID?
B-BUT ISN'T TAKERU STILL A KID!?

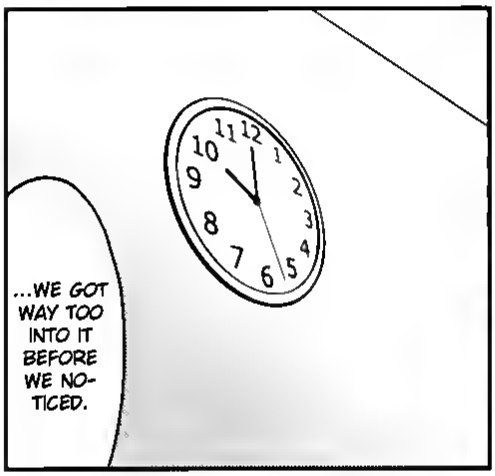
IF TAKERU STOPS BEING A KID THEN MY POSITION WILL DISAPPEAR, RIGHT!?
YOU REALLY DO HAVE THE SELF-AWARE-NESS OF A KID.
STILL, RECENTLY TAKERU HAS BEEN TOO COMPOSED FOR A 3RD GRADER.
IT WOULD BE FINE IF HE STILL ACTED MORE CHILDISH.

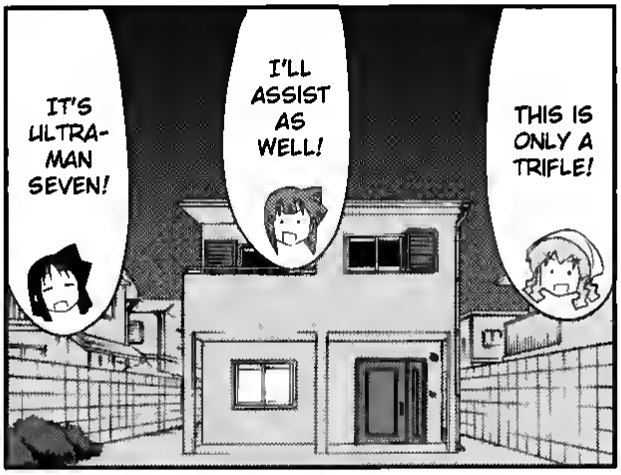

WE WILL HELP YOU OUT.
BECAUSE HE IS OUR IMPORTANT BROTHER.
ONE MORE CHANCE

GYAAAAA!!
A SCREAM FROM DOWN-STAIRS!
SLAM
ARE YOU OKAY!?
GO!


I'M GOING TO EAT ALL OF YOU HUMANS DE GESO!
GO!
SAVE US!!
BUT I ALREADY DECIDED NOT TO PLAY WITH TOYS ANY-MORE...
WH-WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
IF ULTRAMAN DOESN'T COME, THEN THE INNOCENT CITIZENS WILL BECOME SACRIFICES DE GESO!
That's far enough de geso!
HELP ME ULTRA-MAN!

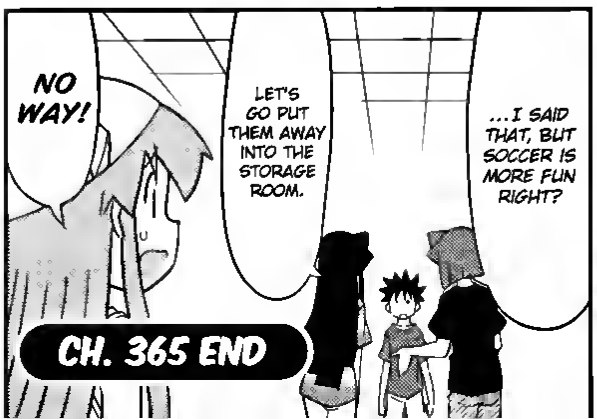

GUWAAA!!
ZOOM
GO!
ULTRA PUNCH!


...WE GOT WAY TOO INTO IT BEFORE WE NOTICED.

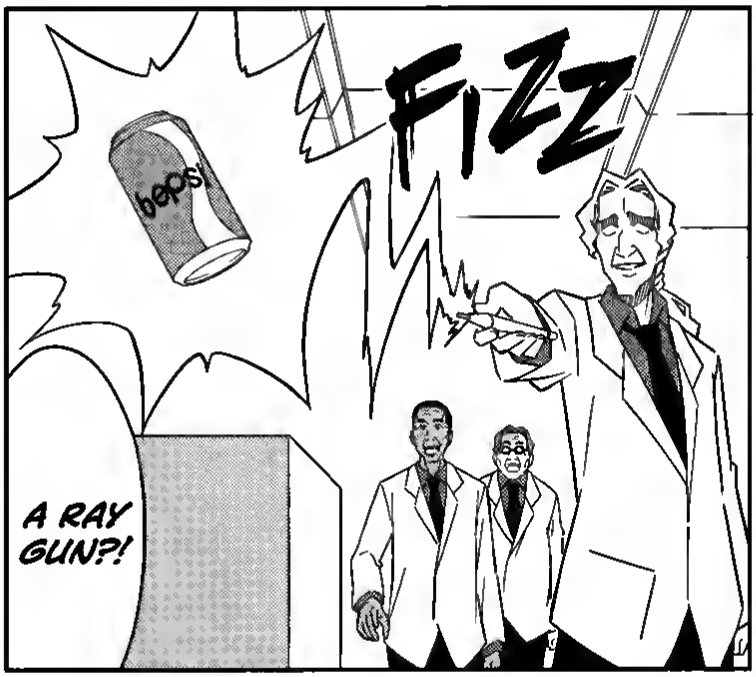

IT'S ULTRAMAN SEVEN!
I'LL ASSIST AS WELL!
THIS IS ONLY A TRIFLE!

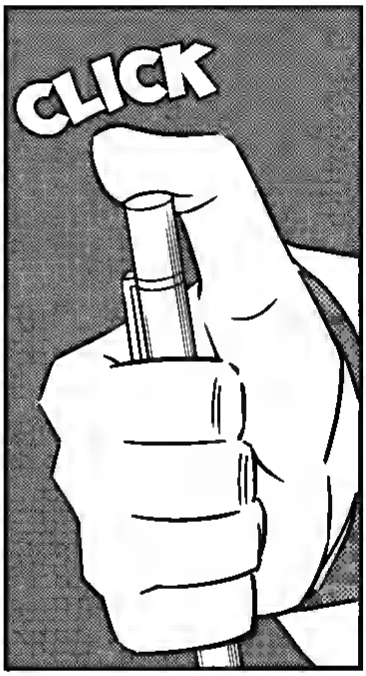
IF YOU'RE ALL GOING TO CONTINUE PLAYING WITH ME, I'LL KEEP TAKING CARE OF THEM!
ONE MORE CHANCE

IT SEEMS LIKE I CAN STILL PLAY WITH THESE TOYS.
IT WOULD BE A WASTE TO THROW THEM AWAY.
RIGHT?
ONE MORE CHANCE


NO WAY!
LET'S GO PUT THEM AWAY INTO THE STORAGE ROOM.
...I SAID THAT, BUT SOCCER IS MORE FUN RIGHT?
CH. 365 END

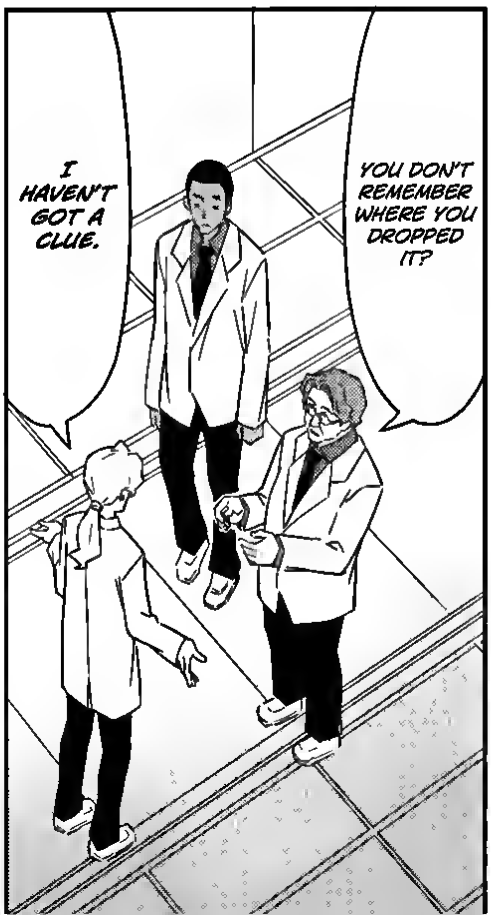
CHAPTER 366: DIDN'T YOU DROP IT?





EH ?!
DO YOU KNOW WHERE I MIGHT'VE DROPPED THE MECHANICAL PENCIL?

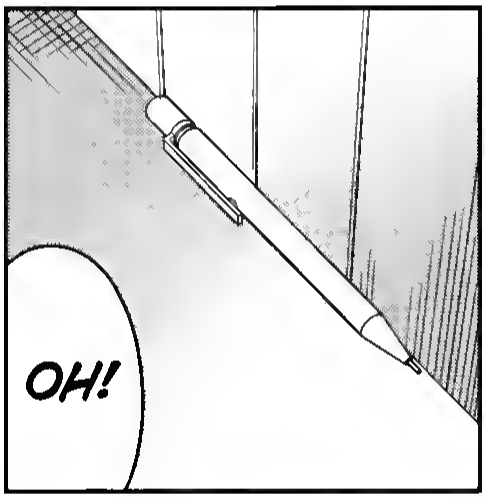
IN TIMES LIKE THESE WHEN YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO PROCEED...

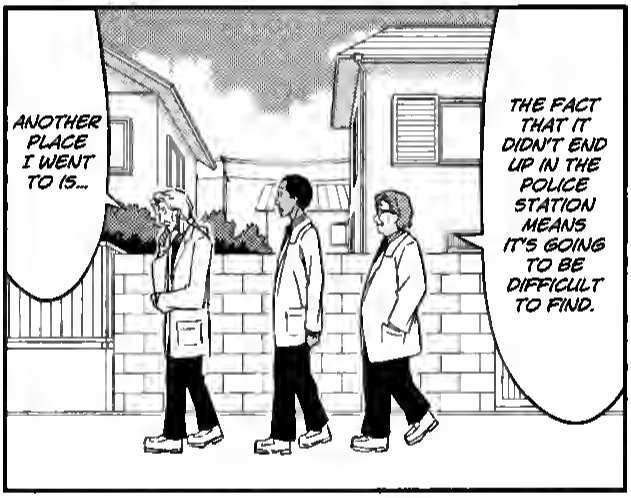

I HAVEN'T GOT A CLUE.
YOU DON'T REMEMBER WHERE YOU DROPPED IT?

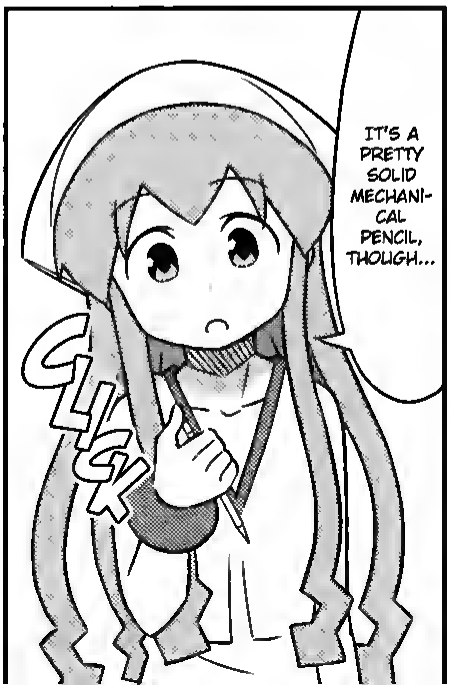
YOU LOST A MECHANICAL PENCIL?

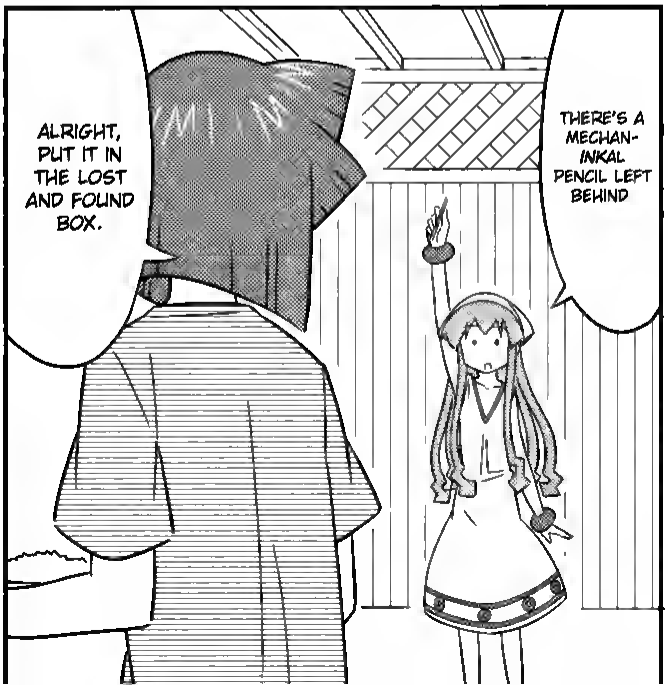
THIS IS AN ORDINARY MECHANICAL PENCIL WE'RE TALKING ABOUT, RIGHT?
O-OF COURSE!

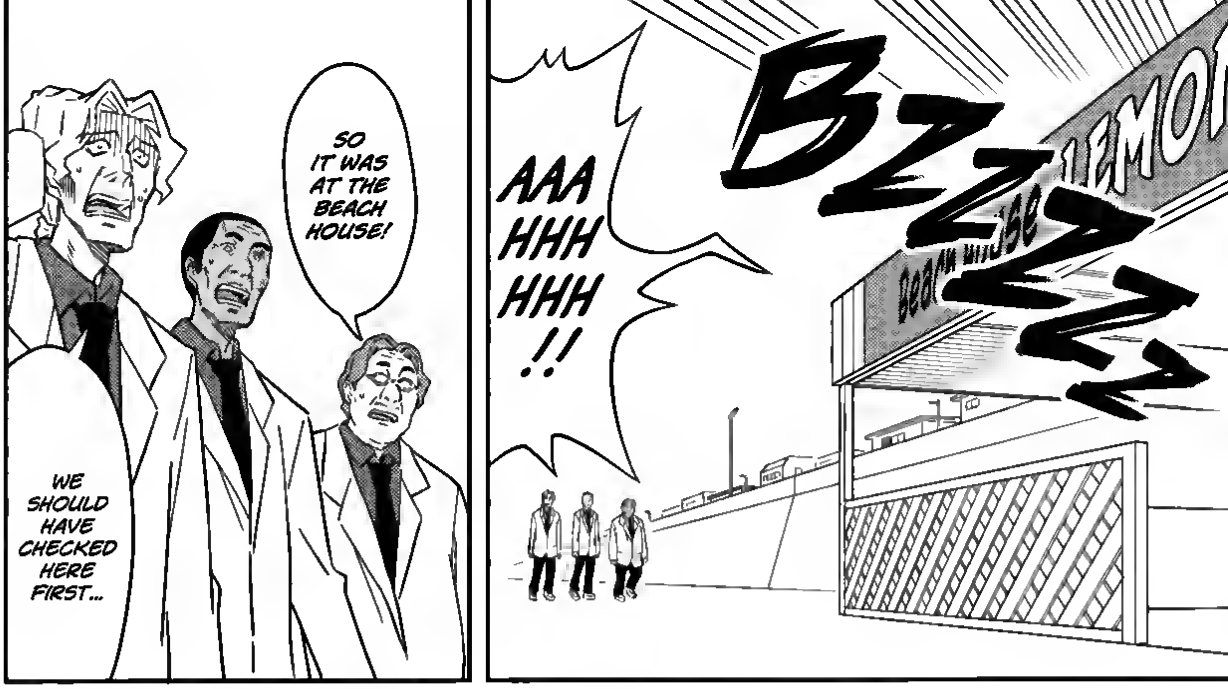
CAN YOU FIND IT IN HERE?
NOPE, NOT HERE.

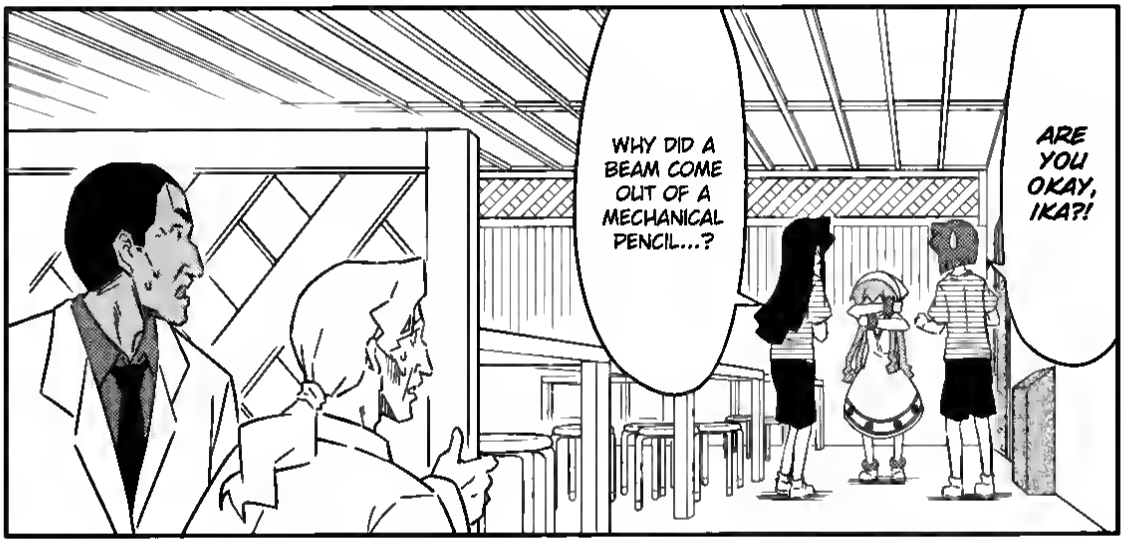

OH!


ANOTHER PLACE I WENT TO IS...
THE FACT THAT IT DIDN'T END UP IN THE POLICE STATION MEANS IT'S GOING TO BE DIFFICULT TO FIND.

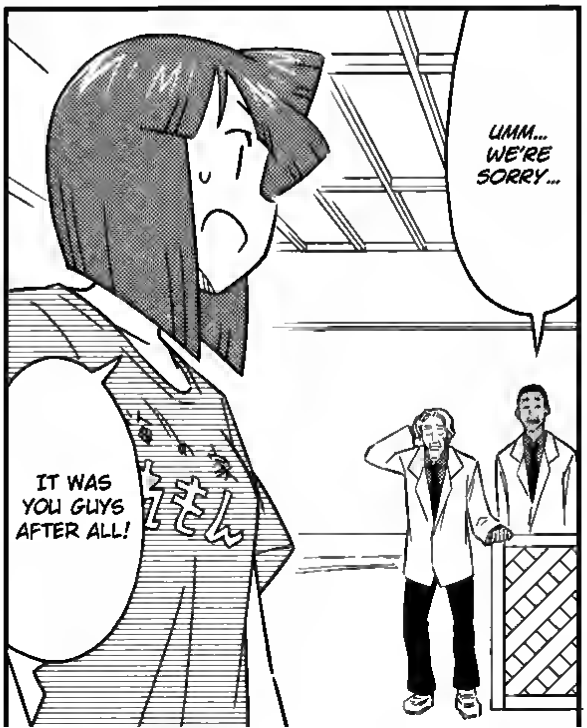

IT'S A PRETTY SOLID MECHANICAL PENCIL, THOUGH...
CLICK


ALRIGHT, PUT IT IN THE LOST AND FOUND BOX.
THERE'S A MECHANINKAL PENCIL LEFT BEHIND


SO IT WAS AT THE BEACH HOUSE!
WE SHOULD HAVE CHECKED HERE FIRST...
AAA HHH HHH !!
BZZZZ

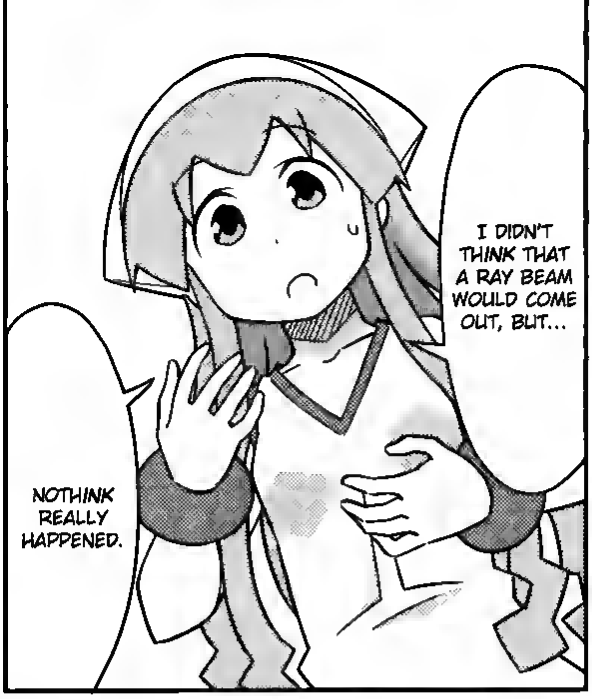

WHY DID A BEAM COME OUT OF A MECHANICAL PENCIL...?
ARE YOU OKAY, IKA?!

T-THAT IS...
WHAT'S WITH THIS MECHANICAL PENCIL?


UMM... WE'RE SORRY...
IT WAS YOU GUYS AFTER ALL!

DID ANYTHING HAPPEN?
UUUUU... I WAS SUR-PRISED.

REALLY?
CLARK WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO MAKE RAY GUN AS TINY AS THIS.
O-OF COURSE, IT'S JUST A JOKE ITEM THAT LIGHTS UP!
HA HAHA

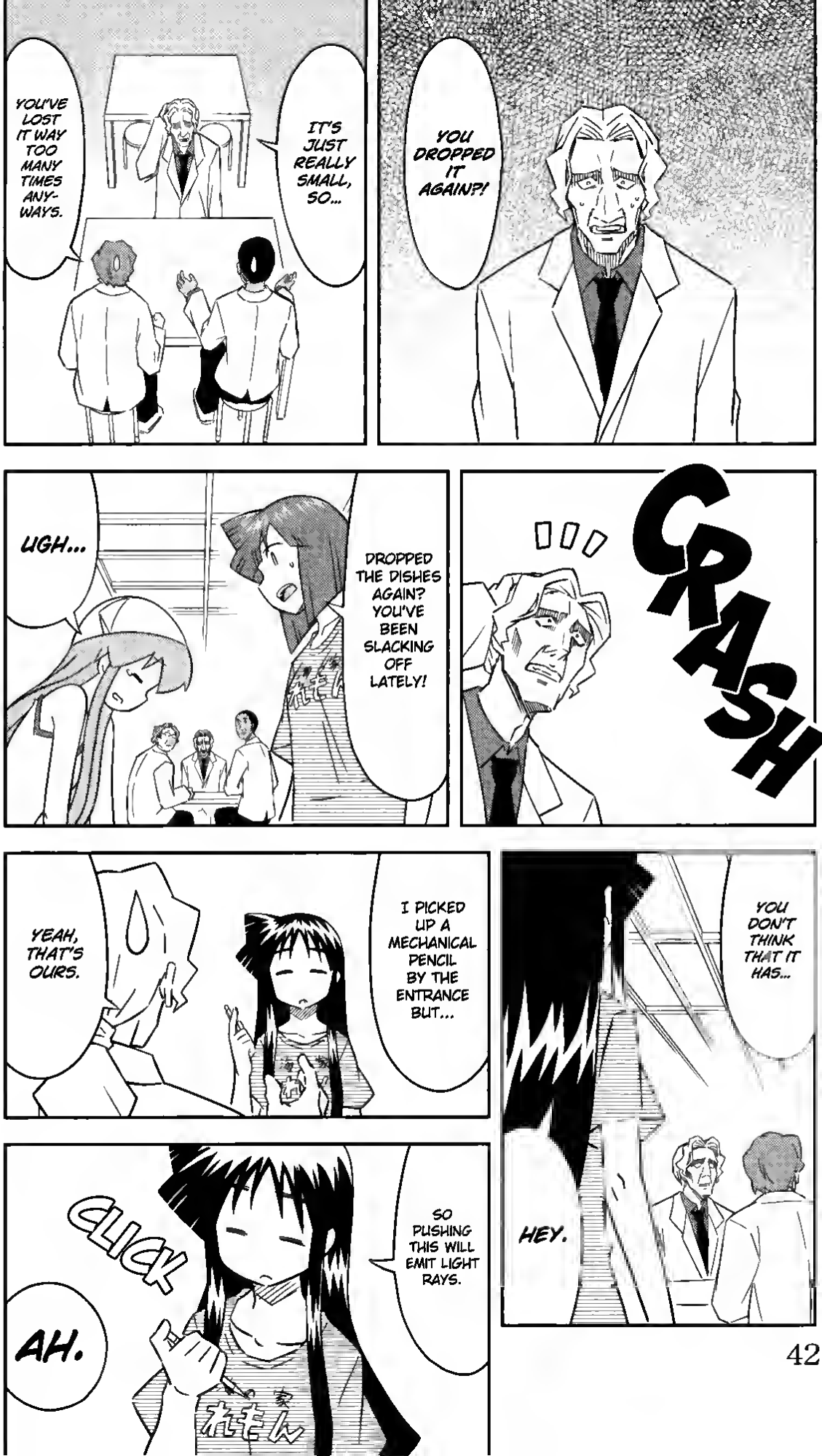

I DIDN'T THINK THAT A RAY BEAM WOULD COME OUT, BUT...
NOTHINK REALLY HAPPENED.

WELL, WHAT KIND OF BULB DID YOU PUT IN?
I EXPECTED THAT THE RAY BEAM WOULD BE MORE EFFECTIVE, BUT...
WHAT THE HECK HAP-PENED ...?

STOP MAKING CRAPPY GOODS.
CAN I GET IT BACK NOW?

WELL, IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE IT HAD ANY EFFECT, SO IT'S FINE.
HEY, BE CAREFUL.
OOPS.
crash

...WHICH I HAVE LOST ALL RECOL-LECTION OF.
THIS ONE...

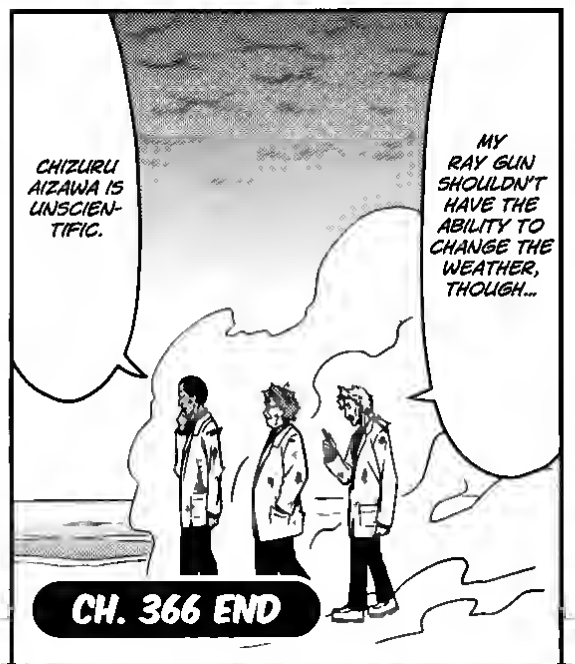

YOU'VE LOST IT WAY TOO MANY TIMES ANY-WAYS.
IT'S JUST REALLY SMALL, SO...
YOU DROPPED IT AGAIN?!
UGH...
DROPPED THE DISHES AGAIN? YOU'VE BEEN SLACKING OFF LATELY!
CRASH
YEAH, THAT'S OURS.
I PICKED UP A MECHANICAL PENCIL BY THE ENTRANCE BUT...
YOU DON'T THINK THAT IT HAS...
HEY.
CLICK
AH.
SO PUSHING THIS WILL EMIT LIGHT RAYS.

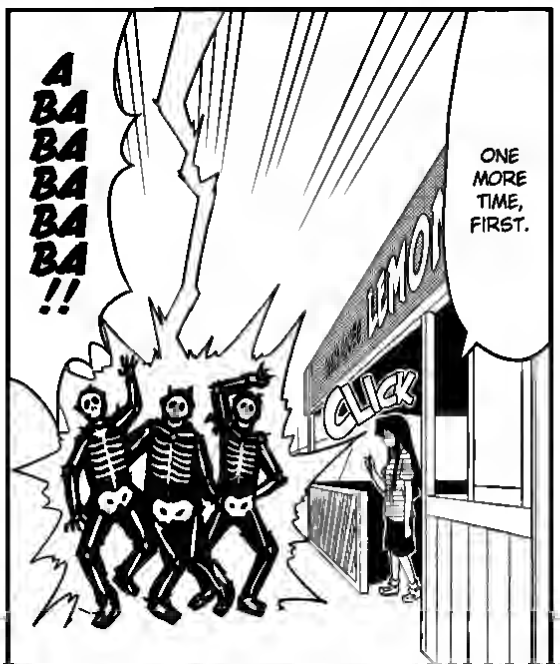
WHY WAS THERE SUDDENLY LIGHT-NING?!
THE WEATHER WASN'T EVEN LIKE THAT BEFORE...
COULD IT BE THAT THE ME-CHANICAL PENCIL CAUSED IT?
RUMBLE
AH HH!!
Beach House LEMON
YOU GUYS ARE ALWAYS MAKING DANGER-OUS STUFF AFTER ALL!
SORRY! WE DIDN'T EXPECT THIS...
WHEN THE LIGHT RAY COMES OUT, IT MAKES PEOPLE DROP THINGS THAT THEY ARE CARE-FUL WITH.
The person using it also influences it
WHY DID YOU CREATE IT?
FIRST, I WAS AFFECTED, AND DROPPED THE ME-CHANICAL PENCIL THAT I WAS CAUTIOUS ABOUT.
NEXT, IKA MUSUME-SAN DROPPED THE DISHES THAT SHE WAS BEING CAREFUL WITH.
SO FOR THE LIGHT-NING...
ビール
タコ焼き
スパゲティ

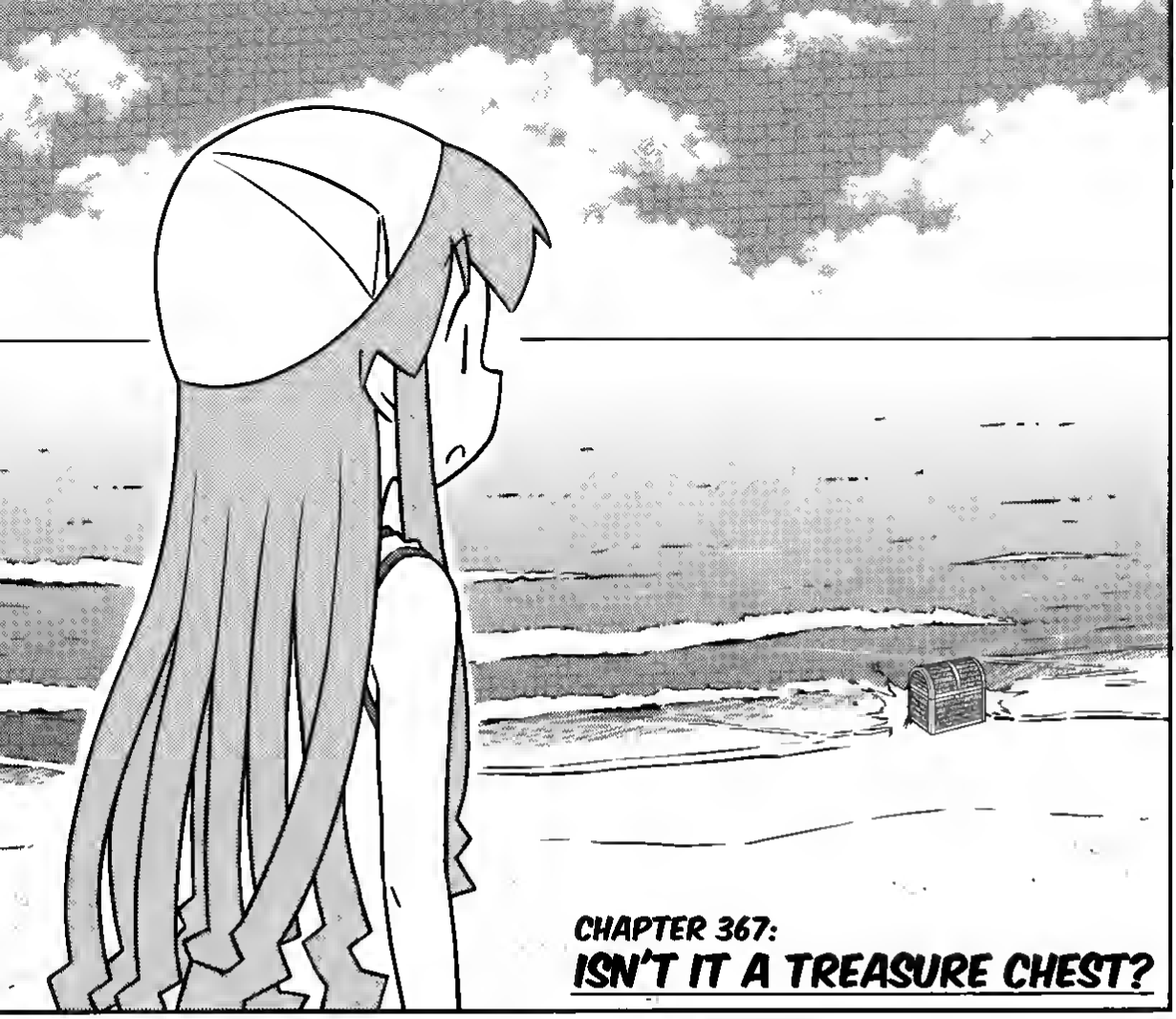
THERE ACTUALLY ARE PEOPLE WHO CAN DROP REAL LIGHTNING?!
CHIZURU IS HOLDING BACK FROM DROPPING LIGHTNING WHENEVER IKA MUSUME-SAN BREAKS THE DISHES, SO LIGHTNING CAME DOWN.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH!
YOU CAN TAKE IT BACK NOW.

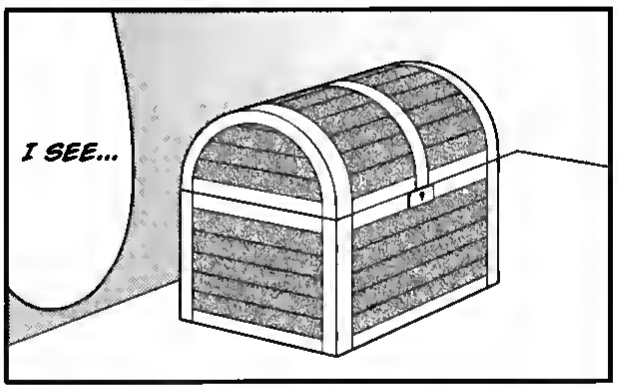
D-DON'T WORRY, IT'S BECAUSE OF THE RAY GUN ANYWAYS.
I'M SO SORRY!


CHIZURU AIZAWA IS UNSCIEN-TIFIC.
MY RAY GUN SHOULDN'T HAVE THE ABILITY TO CHANGE THE WEATHER, THOUGH...
CH. 366 END


ABABABABA!!
CLICK
ONE MORE TIME, FIRST.

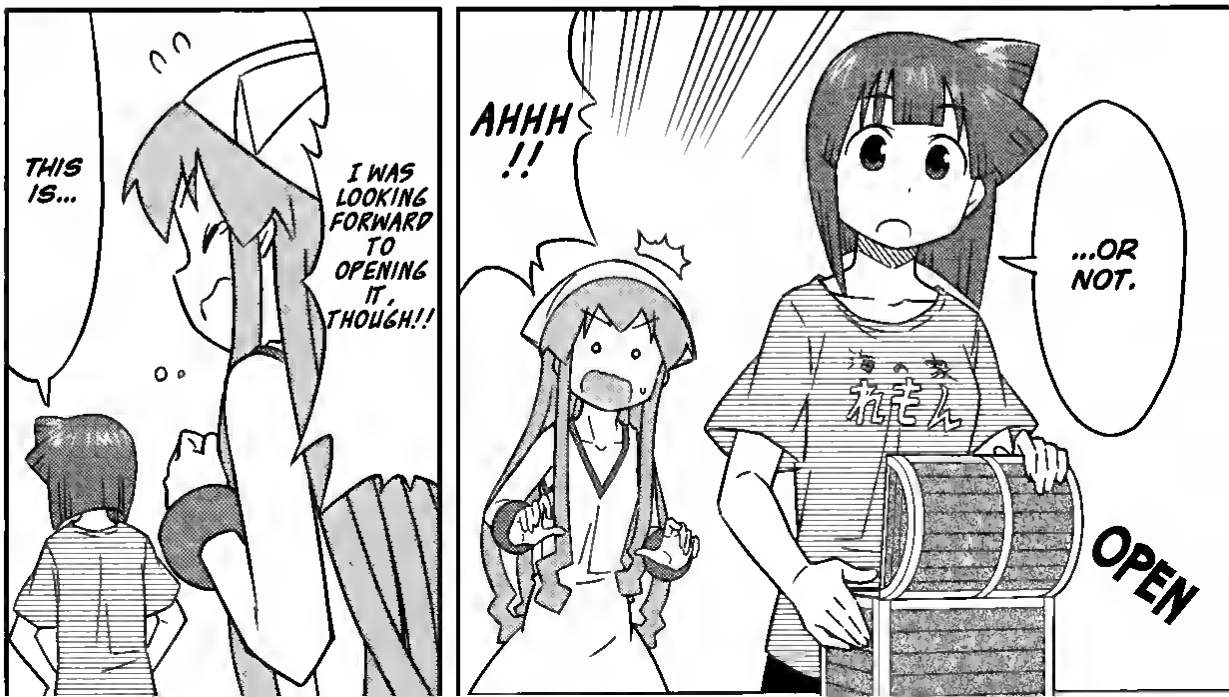


CHAPTER 367:
ISN'T IT A TREASURE CHEST?

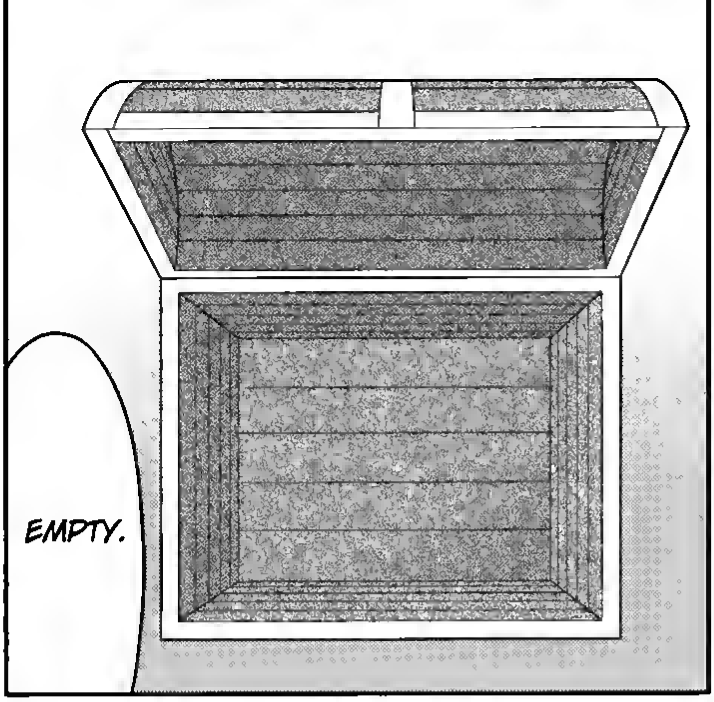


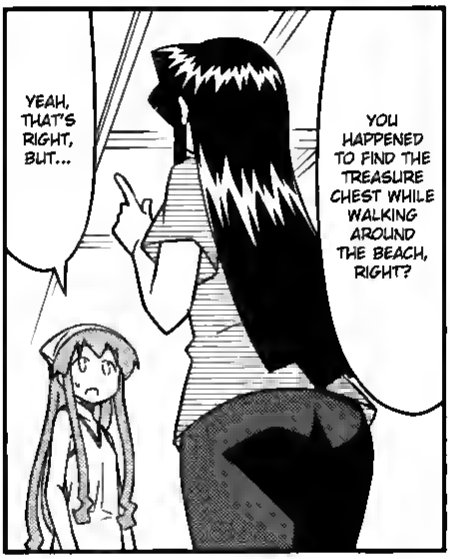
YOU SHOULD KNOW, SINCE YOU'VE PLAYED GAMES...
WHAT'S INSIDE ISN'T LIMITED TO JUST TREASURE.
LET'S OPEN IT RIGHT NOW!
HOLD ON THERE!!

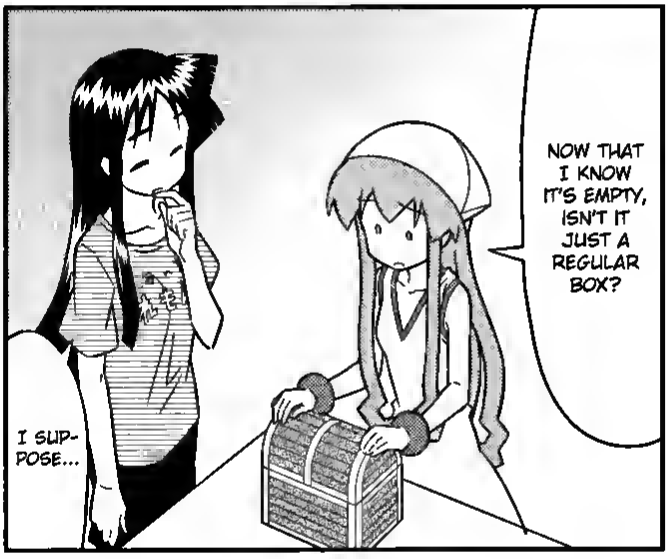
MONSTERS
POISON GAS
EXPLOSIONS

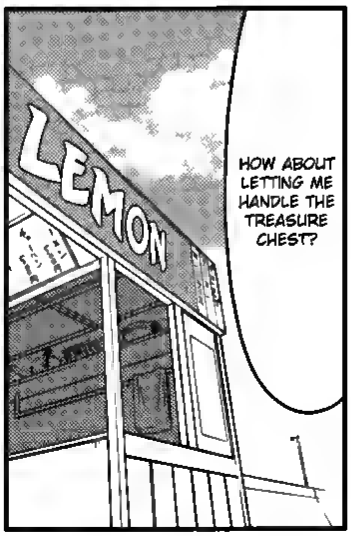

THIS IS...
I WAS LOOKING FORWARD TO OPENING IT, THOUGH!!
AHHH!!
...OR NOT.
OPEN

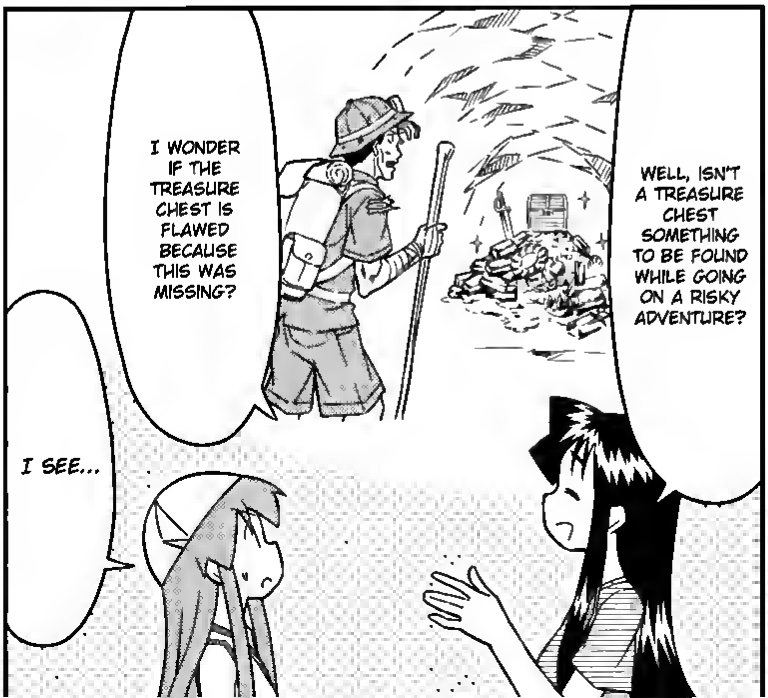
ALL MY INTEREST IS GONE.
BEING SO WILLY-NILLY IS MEAN!

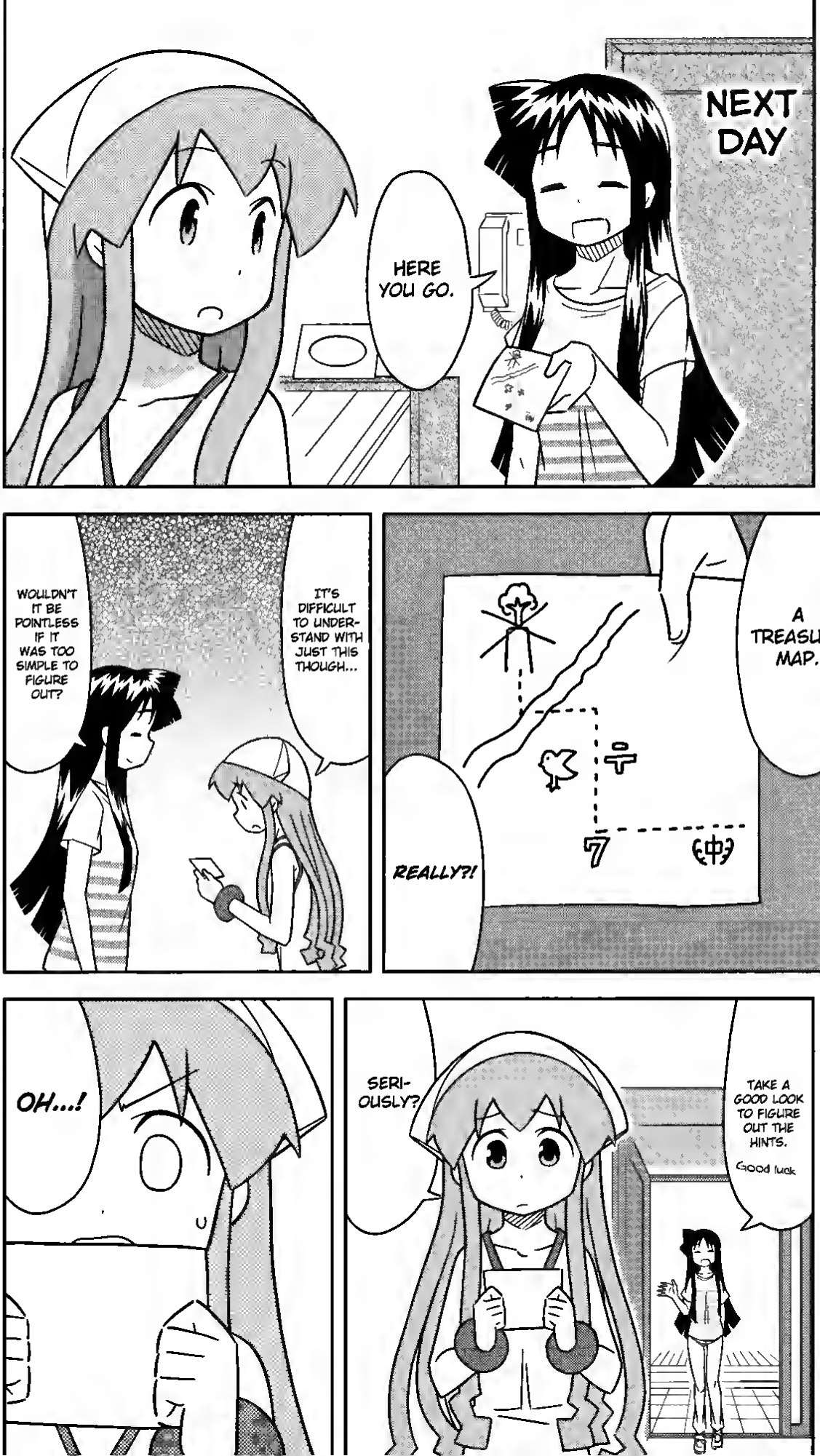

EMPTY.


YOU HAPPENED TO FIND THE TREASURE CHEST WHILE WALKING AROUND THE BEACH, RIGHT?
YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT, BUT...


NOW THAT I KNOW IT'S EMPTY, ISN'T IT JUST A REGULAR BOX?
I SUPPOSE...


LEMON
HOW ABOUT LETTING ME HANDLE THE TREASURE CHEST?


I WONDER IF THE TREASURE CHEST IS FLAWED BECAUSE THIS WAS MISSING?
WELL, ISN'T A TREASURE CHEST SOMETHING TO BE FOUND WHILE GOING ON A RISKY ADVENTURE?
I SEE...


NEXT DAY
HERE YOU GO.
IT'S DIFFICULT TO UNDERSTAND WITH JUST THIS THOUGH...
WOULDN'T IT BE POINTLESS IF IT WAS TOO SIMPLE TO FIGURE OUT?
A TREASURE MAP.
REALLY?!
OH...!
SERIOUSLY?
TAKE A GOOD LOOK TO FIGURE OUT THE HINTS.
Good luck

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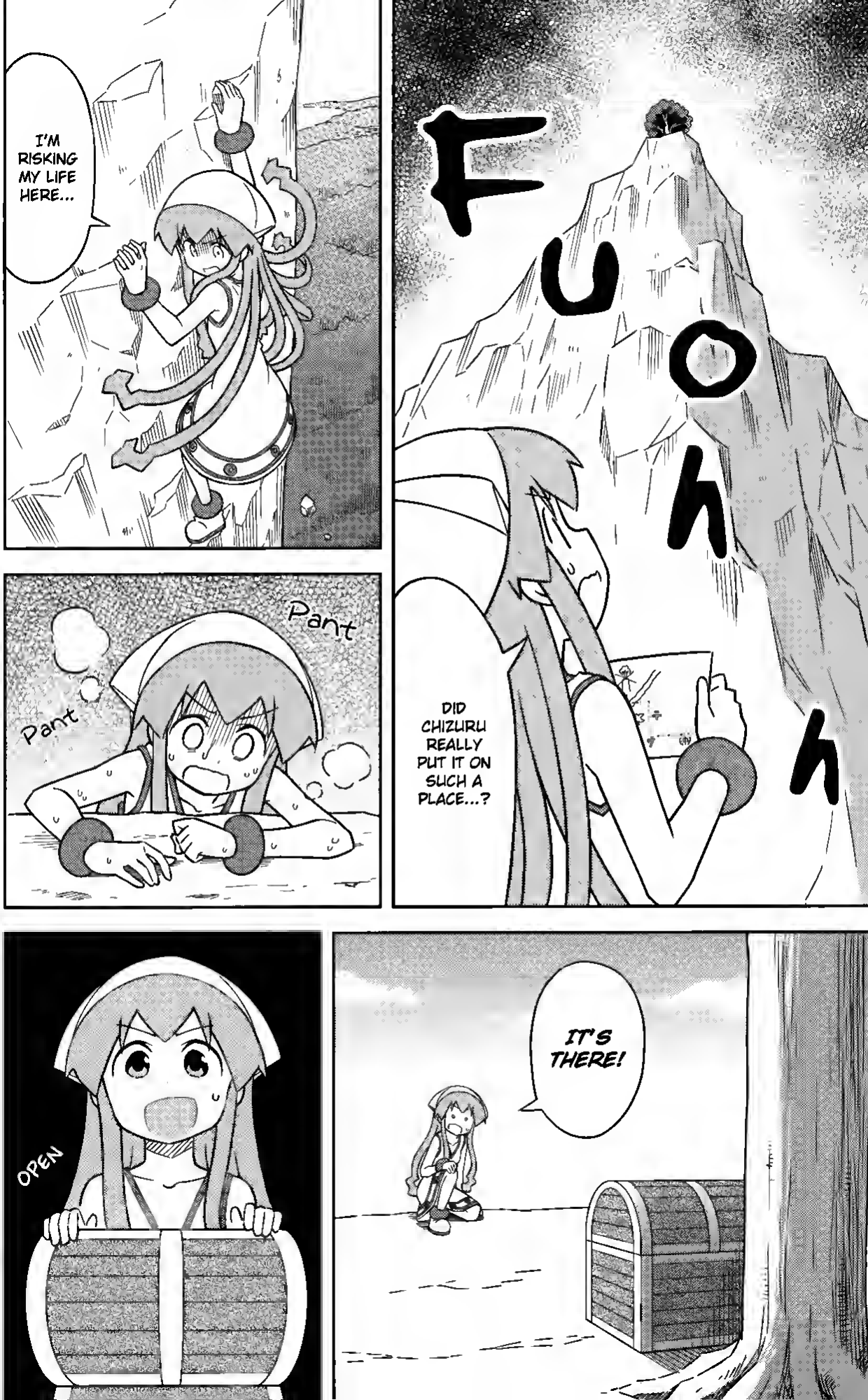
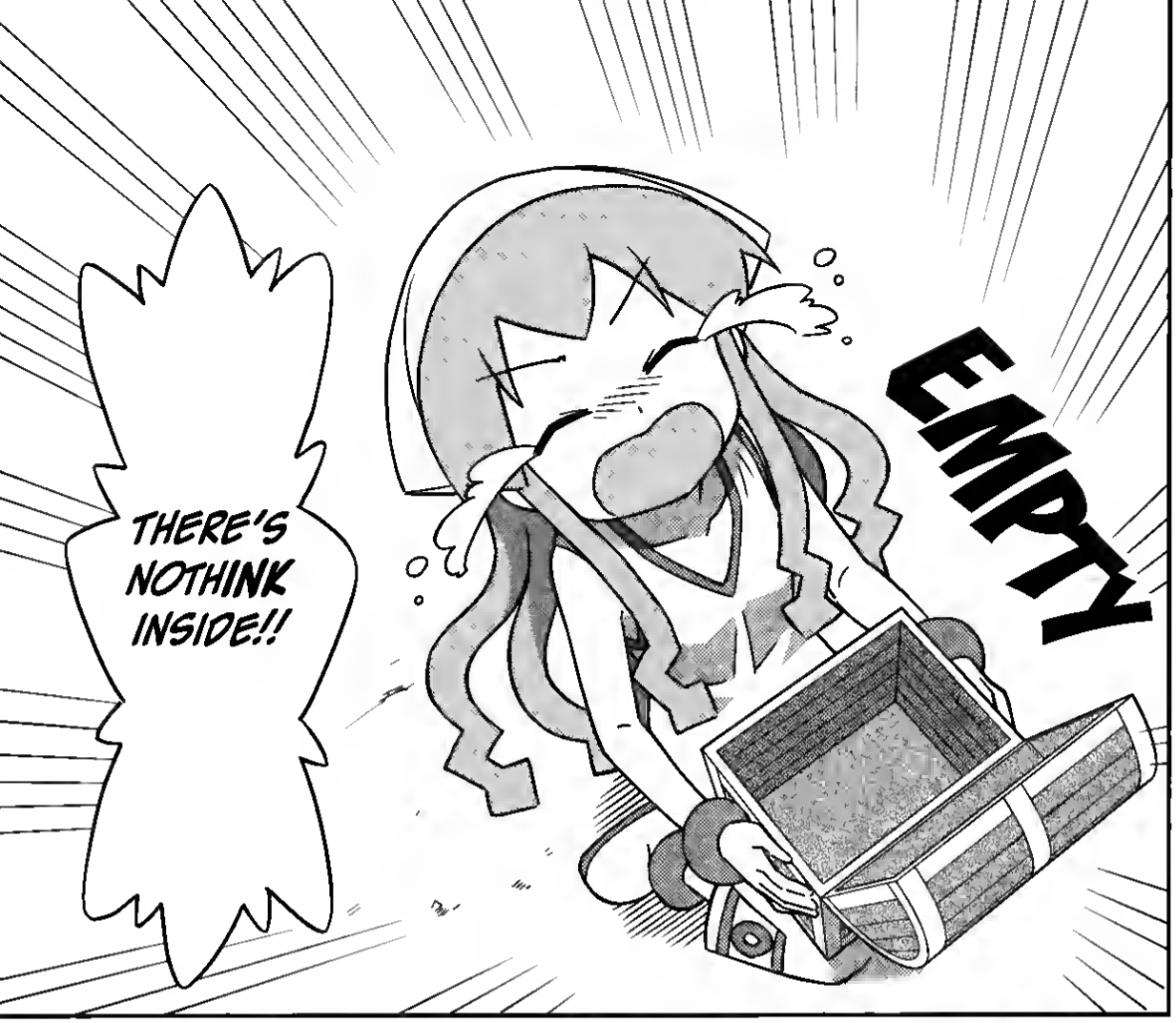
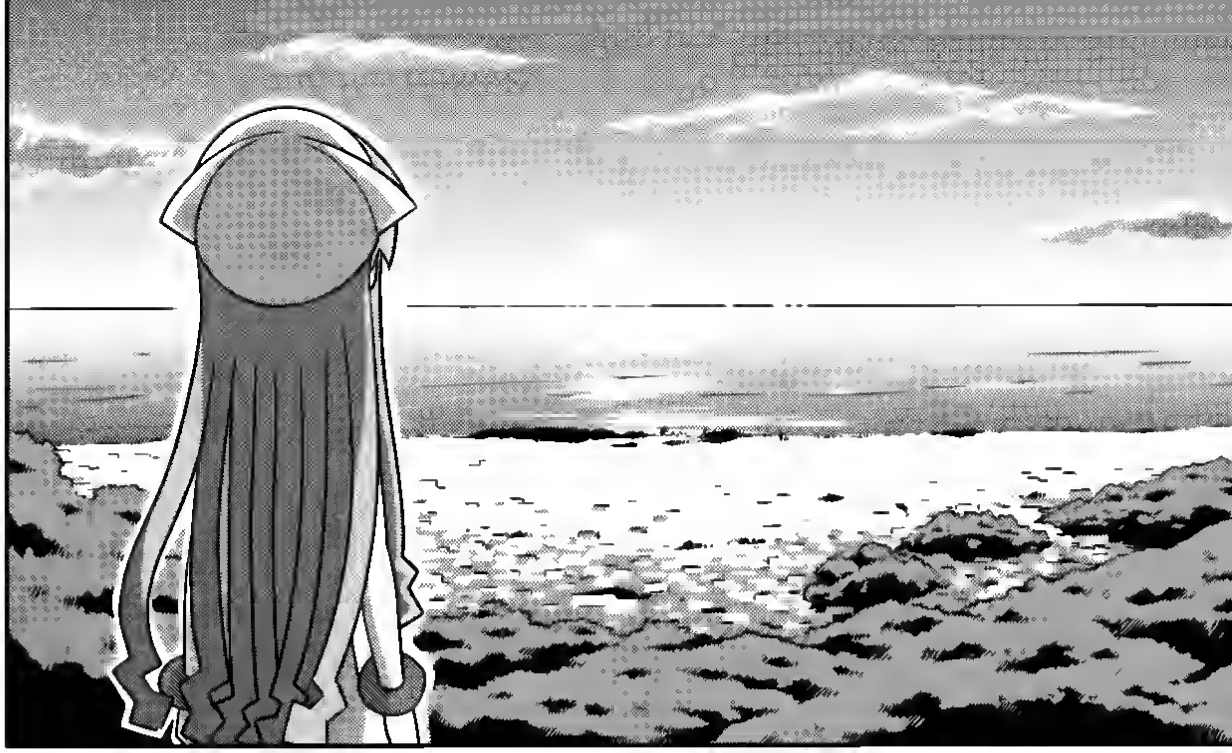
THIS SYMBOL HAPPENS TO BE...
LOOKS LIKE I FIGURED IT OUT.
I SUPPOSE THAT MEANS THAT THIS ROAD IS CONNECTED OVER THEN.
DEFI-NITELY THE SYMBOL FOR KIYOMI'S SCHOOL!

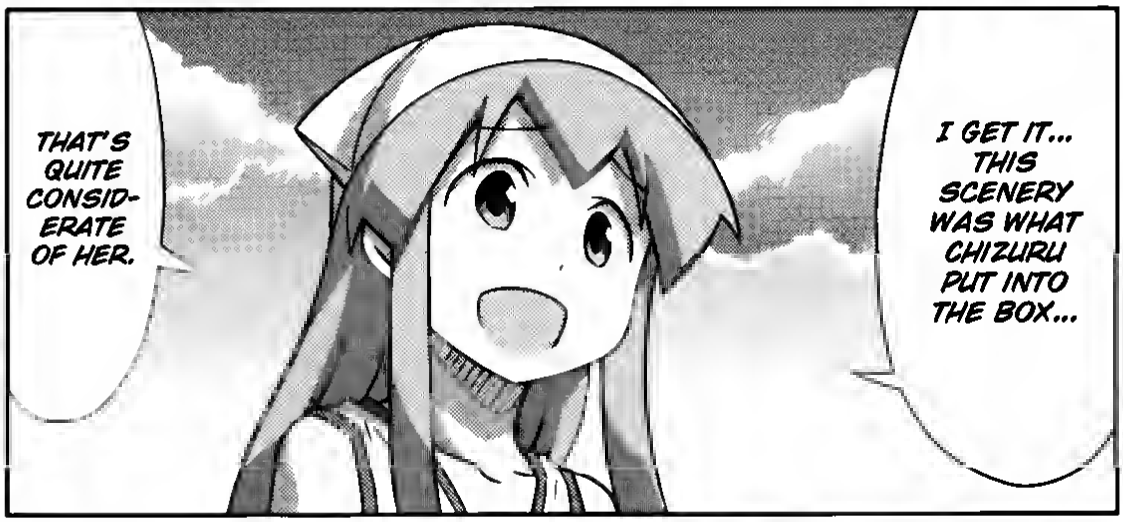

I'M RISKING MY LIFE HERE...
FUOhh
DID CHIZURU REALLY PUT IT ON SUCH A PLACE...?
Pant
Pant
OPEN
IT'S THERE!


EMPTY
THERE'S NOTHINK INSIDE!!

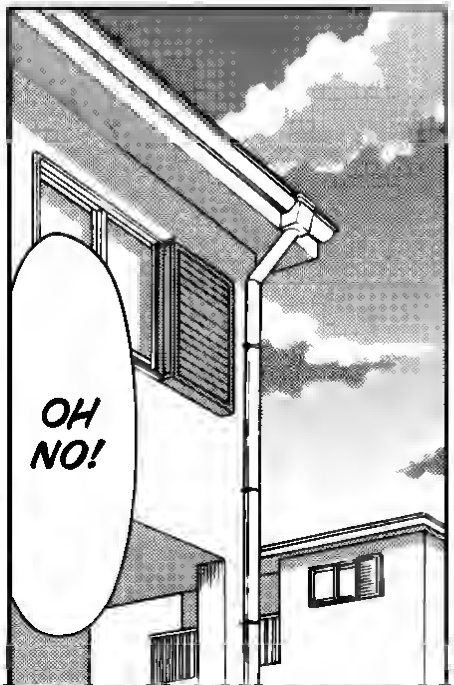
UUUU... I DIDN'T THINK CHIZURU WOULD TEASE ME LIKE THIS...
EVEN HAVING SOME USELESS THING INSIDE WOULD'VE BEEN BETTER THAN THIS...

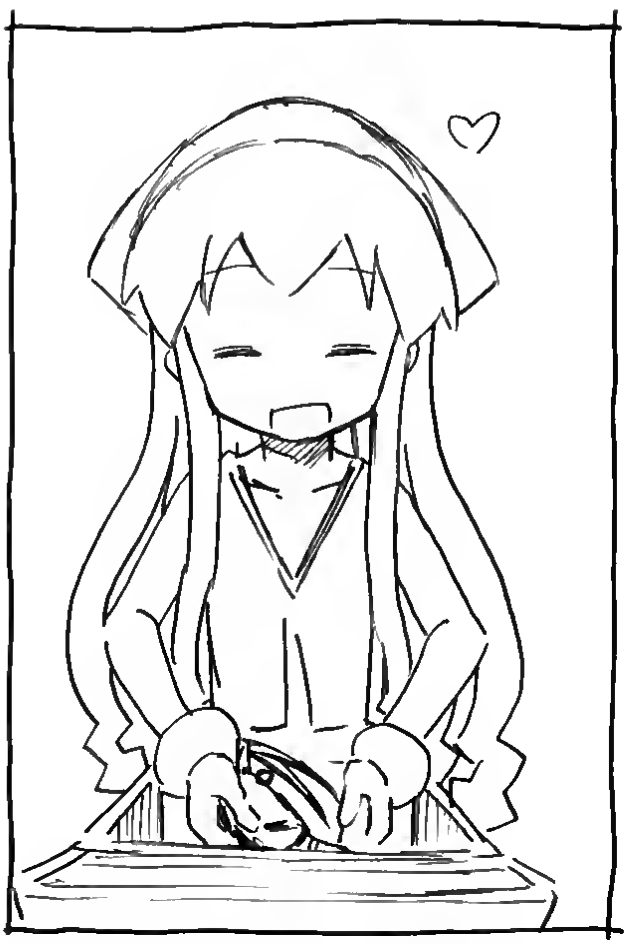
WHAT WAS THE POINT OF STRUGGLING SO HARD...
THE DAY'S ALMOST OVER, TOO...




I GET IT... THIS SCENERY WAS WHAT CHIZURU PUT INTO THE BOX...
THAT'S QUITE CONSID-ERATE OF HER.

What do you think you're going to do?
I FORGOT TO PUT THIS INSIDE THE TREASURE CHEST!
YOU'D BETTER FEED HER SOME TASTY FOOD WHEN SHE GETS BACK.
GOLDEN SHRIMP
CH. 367 END

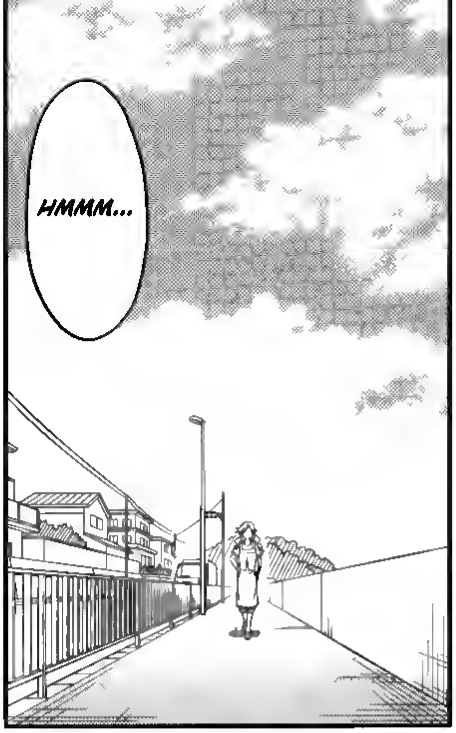

OH NO!

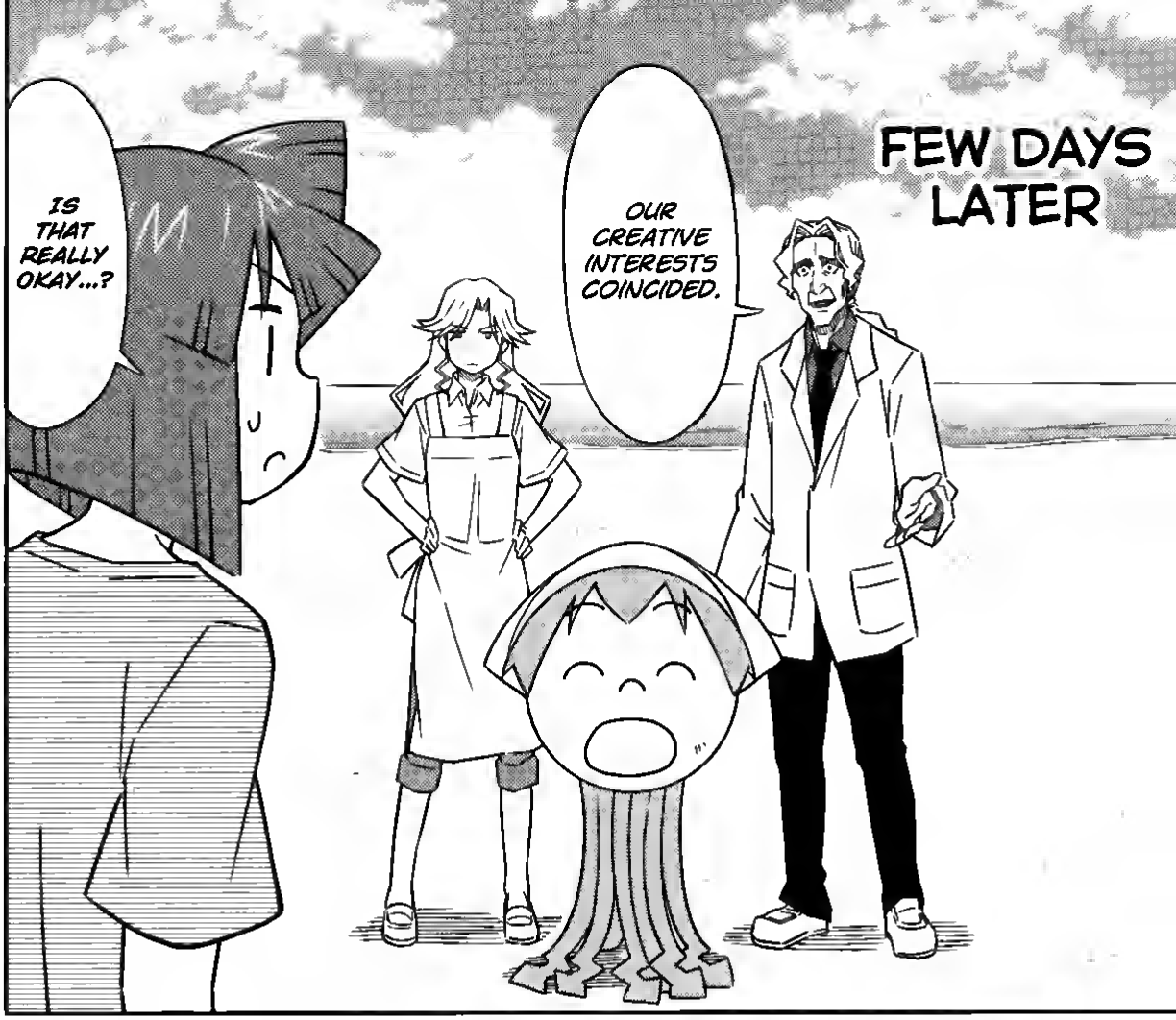


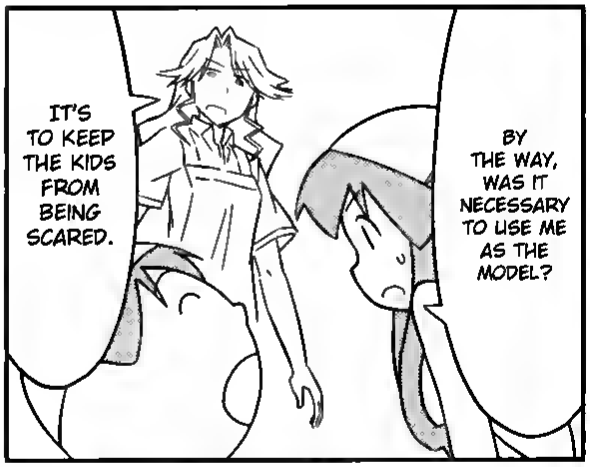
The invader comes from the bottom of the sea!

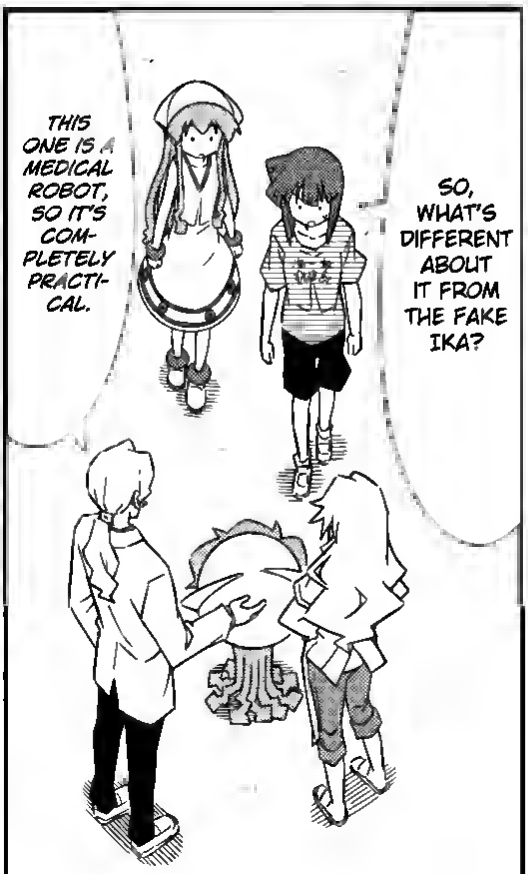
CHAPTER 368: IT'S A MEDICAL ROBOT?

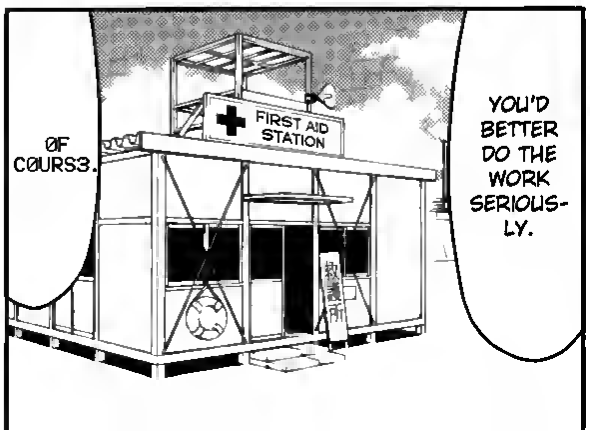
IT'D BE NICE IF SOMEONE COULD STAND IN FOR ME FROM TIME TO TIME...
I'M BUSY WITH ALL THE PEOPLE GETTING HURT BECAUSE OF THE RECENT INCREASE IN JELLYFISH...
Sketch Book

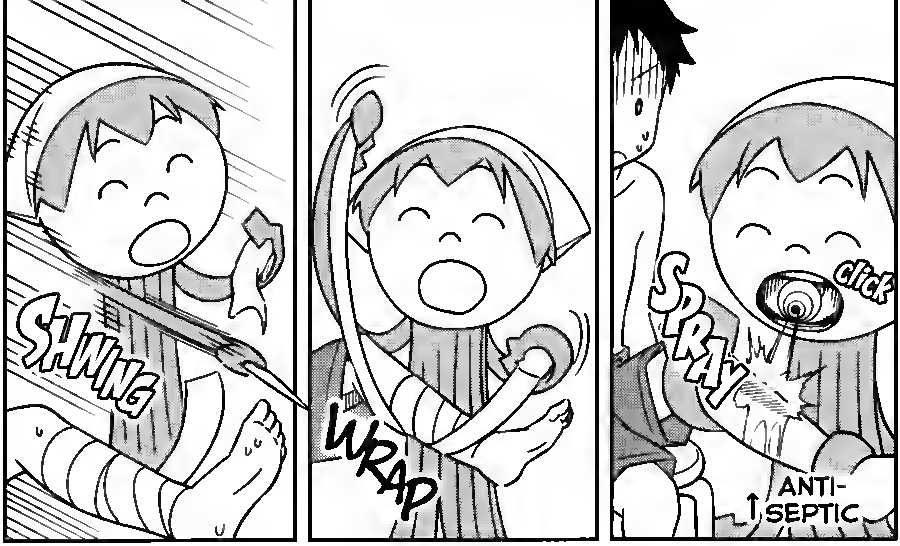


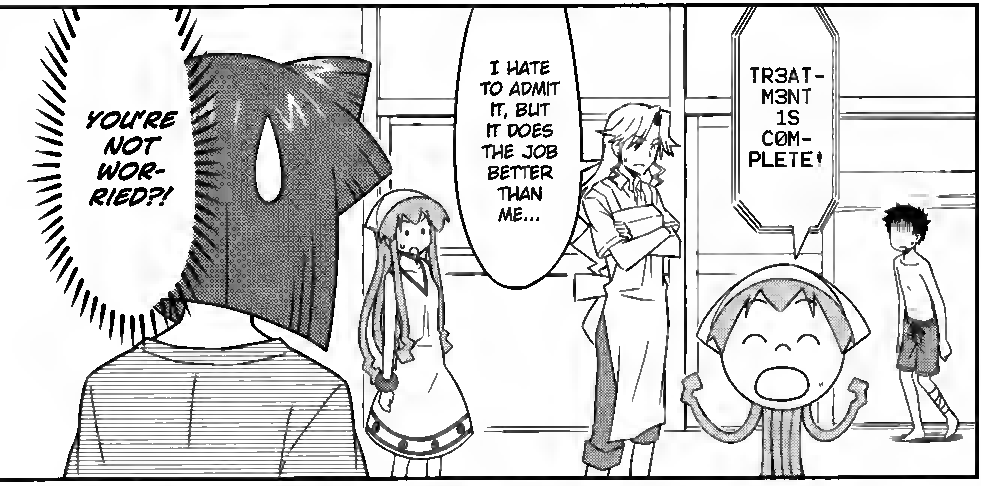

FEW DAYS LATER
OUR CREATIVE INTERESTS COINCIDED.
IS THAT REALLY OKAY...?

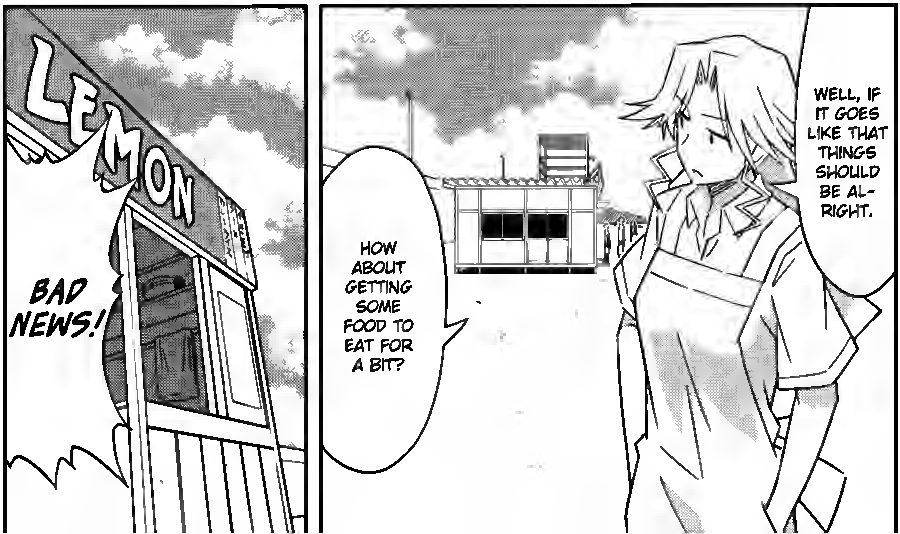

BY THE WAY, WAS IT NECESSARY TO USE ME AS THE MODEL?
IT'S TO KEEP THE KIDS FROM BEING SCARED.


SO, WHAT'S DIFFERENT ABOUT IT FROM THE FAKE IKA?
THIS ONE IS A MEDICAL ROBOT, SO IT'S COMPLETELY PRACTICAL.

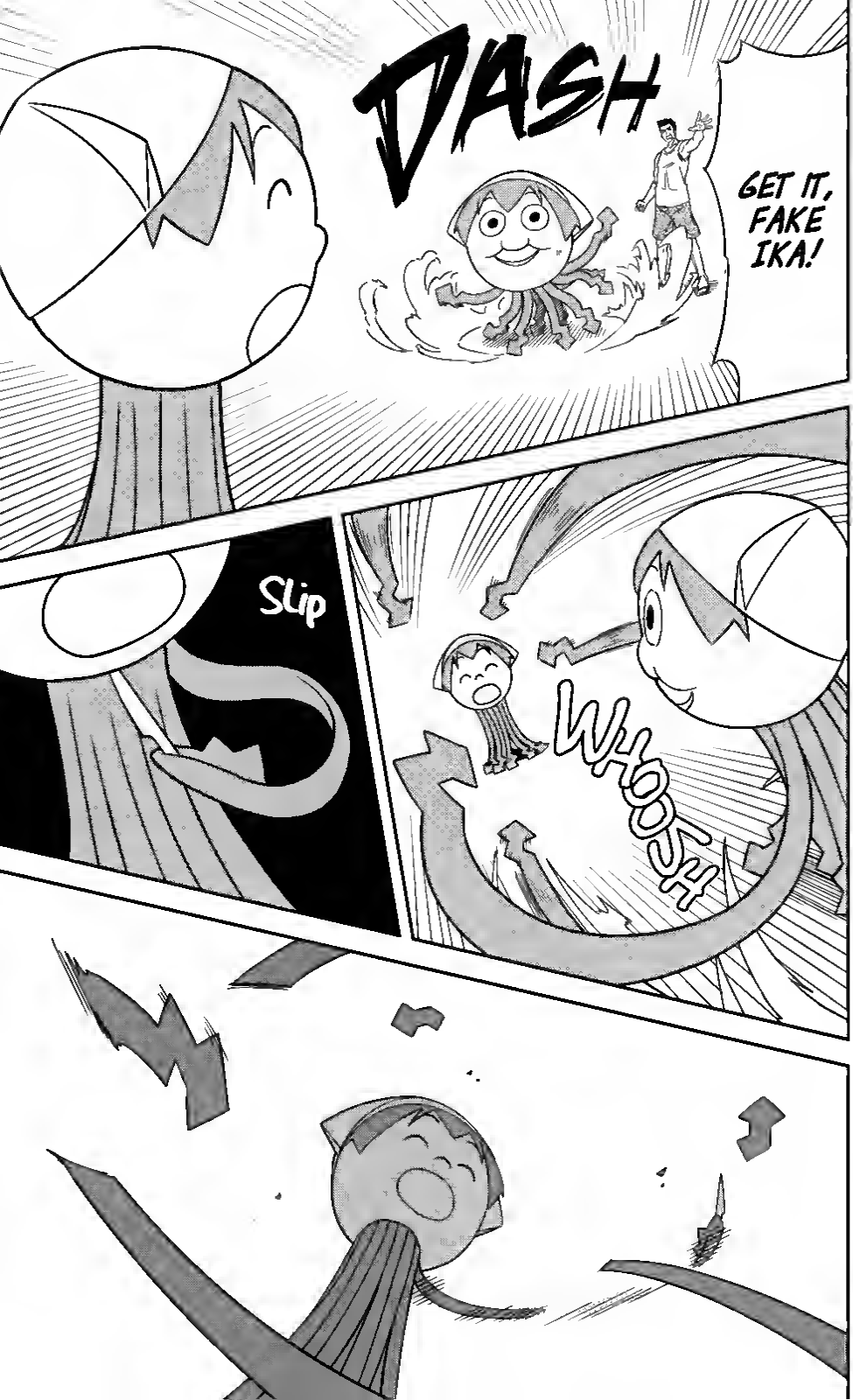

YOU'D BETTER DO THE WORK SERIOUSLY.
FIRST AID STATION
救護所
0F C0URS3.


SWING
LURAP
SPRAY
CLICK
ANTI-
SEPTIC

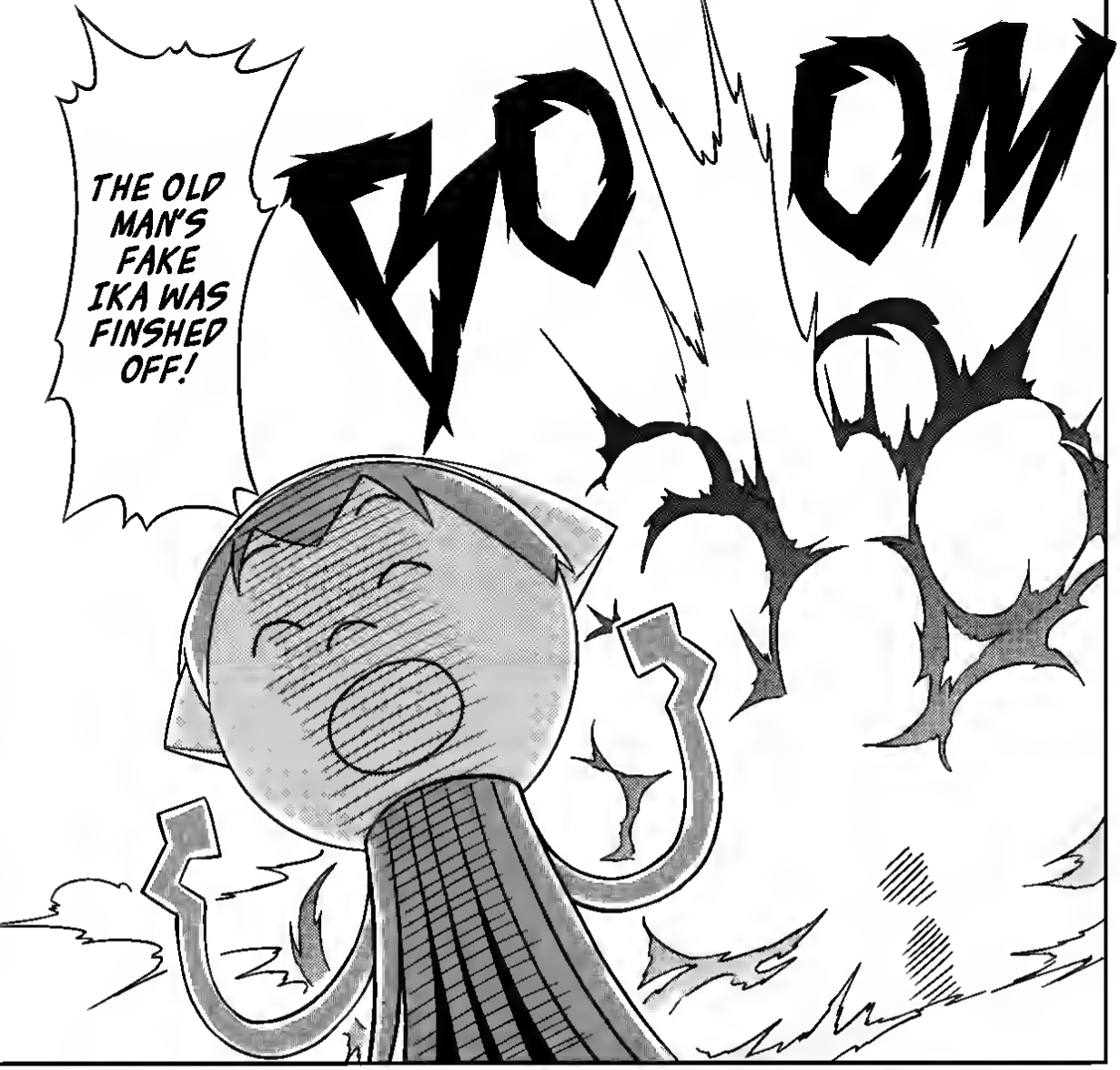

YOU'RE NOT WORRIED?!
I HATE TO ADMIT IT, BUT IT DOES THE JOB BETTER THAN ME...
TR3AT-M3NT 1S C0M-PLETE!

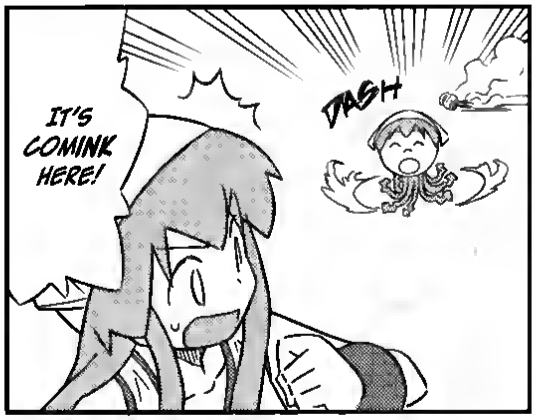

LEMON
BAD NEWS!
HOW ABOUT GETTING SOME FOOD TO EAT FOR A BIT?
WELL, IF IT GOES LIKE THAT THINGS SHOULD BE AL-RIGHT.

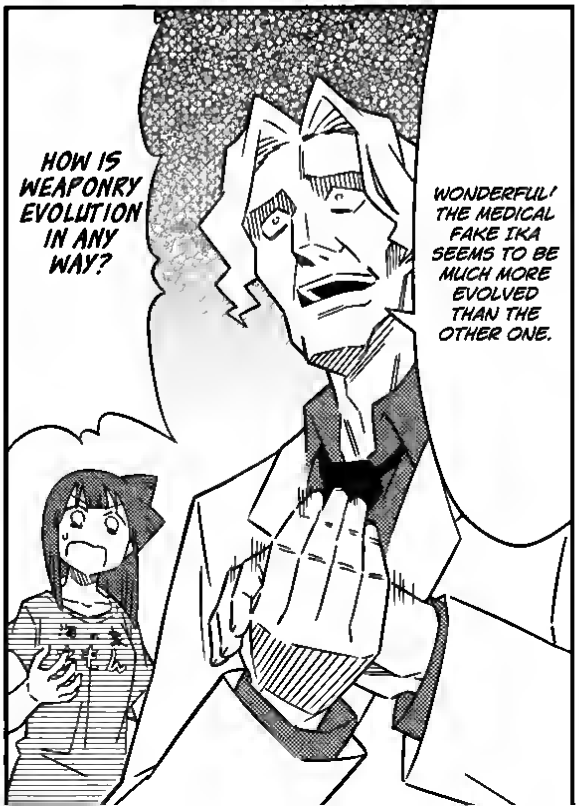
I TOLD YOU SO!
EH?
THERE'S A ROBOT GOING ON A RAMPAGE, AND IT'S STARTING TO ATTACK PEOPLE!
SORRY...
STOP IT ALREADY, YOU THREE STOOGES!
OVER THERE!
Waah!
THE OLD MAN FROM SOUTHERN BREEZE!
LOOKS LIKE IT'S MY TURN.
WHY ISN'T THERE A NORMAL WAY TO STOP IT?!
THERE'S A SELF-DESTRUCTION BUTTON, BUT THE EXPLOSIVE POWER IS QUITE...

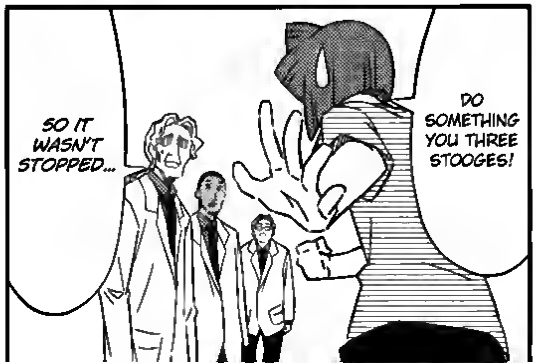

DASH
GET IT, FAKE IKA!
Slip
WHOOSH

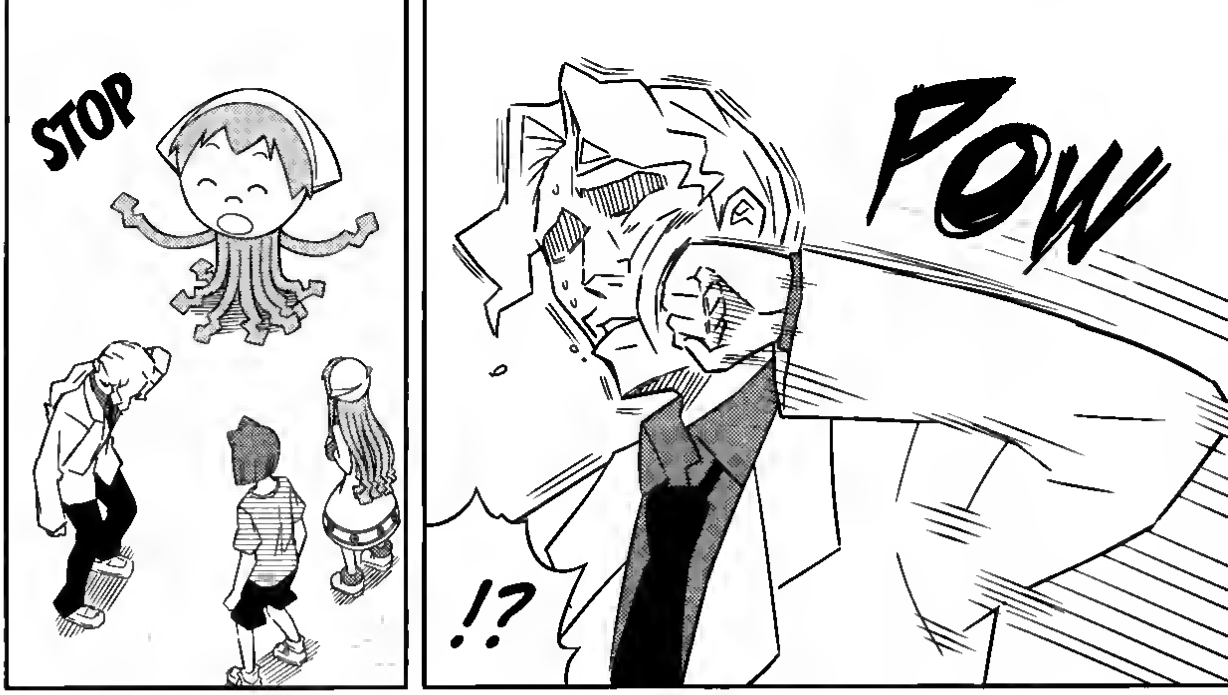
SCH
WING
Fwip
THUNK
THUNK
THUNK

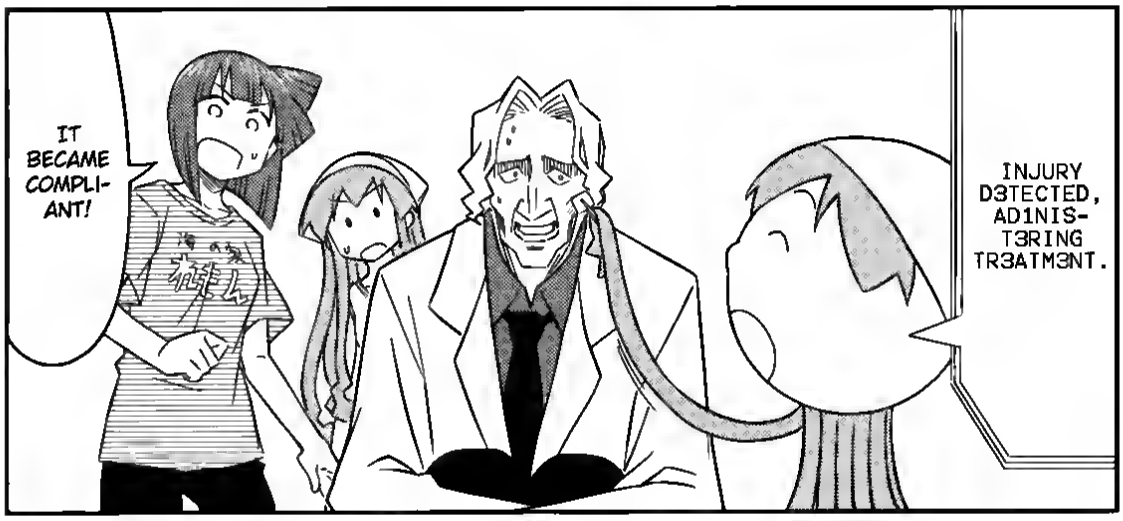

THE OLD MAN'S FAKE IKA WAS FINSHED OFF!
BOOM

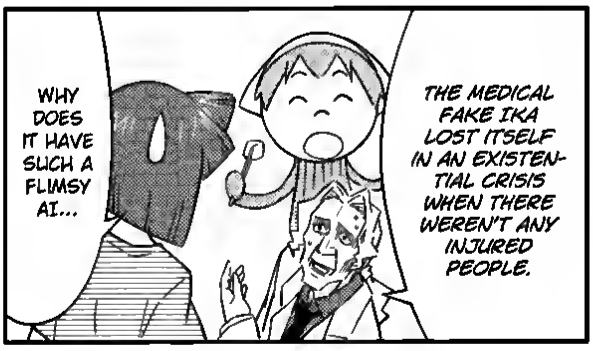

IT'S COMINK HERE!
DASH


HOW IS WEAPONRY EVOLUTION IN ANY WAY?
WONDERFUL! THE MEDICAL FAKE IKA SEEMS TO BE MUCH MORE EVOLVED THAN THE OTHER ONE.


SO IT WASN'T STOPPED...
DO SOMETHING YOU THREE STOOGES!


STOP
POW
!?


IT BECAME COMPLI-ANT!
INJURY D3TECTED, AD1NIS-T3RING TR3ATM3NT.


WHY DOES IT HAVE SUCH A FLIMSY AI...
THE MEDICAL FAKE IKA LOST ITSELF IN AN EXISTEN-TIAL CRISIS WHEN THERE WEREN'T ANY INJURED PEOPLE.

I SUP-POSE THERE'S NO WAY AROUND DOING WORK PROP-ERLY.
W-WAIT PLEASE! THERE HAS GOT TO BE ANOTHER WAY!
WHICH PLACE IS NEXT?
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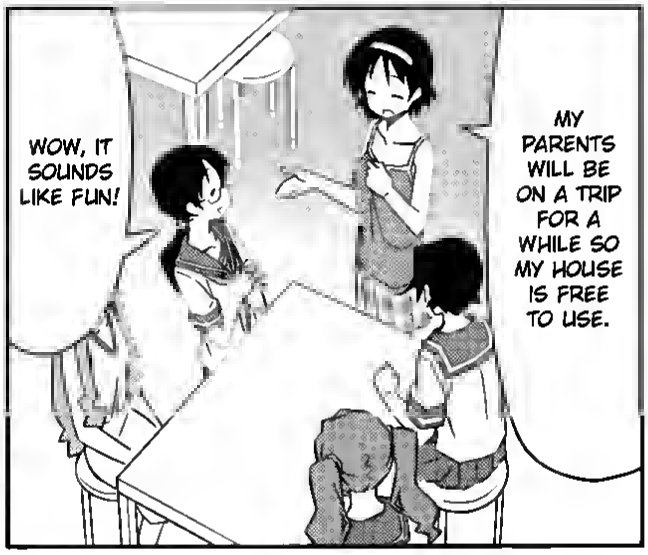
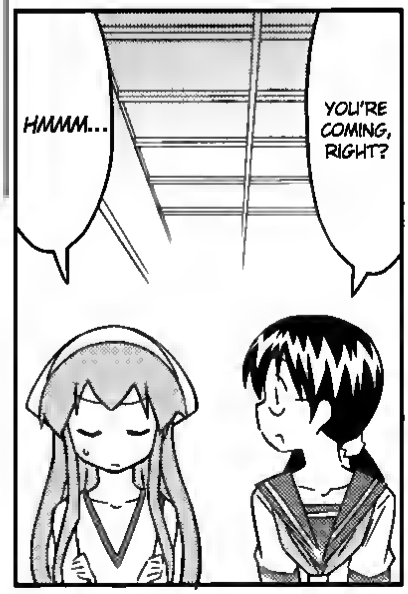
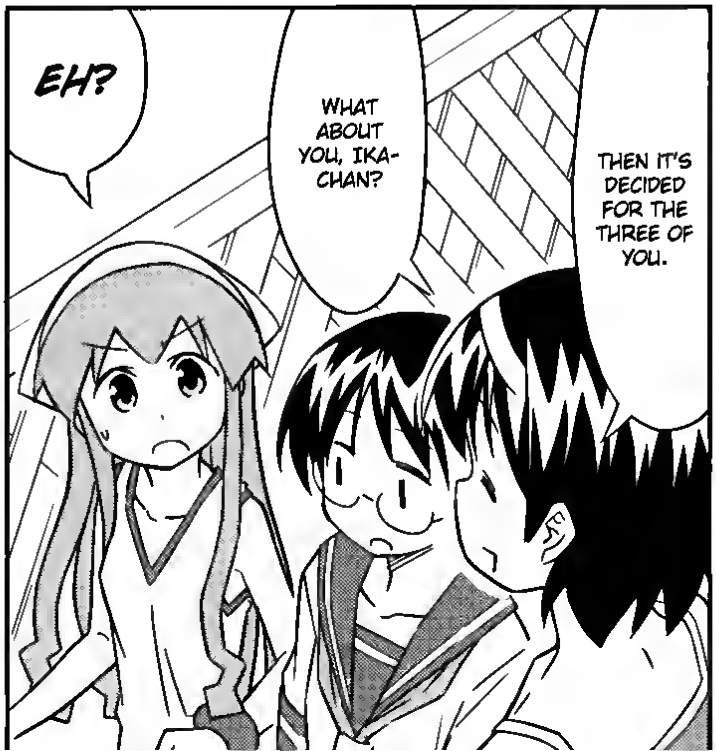
AH...
SO THAT MEANS AS LONG AS THERE'S AN INJURED PERSON THE ROBOT WILL BEHAVE?

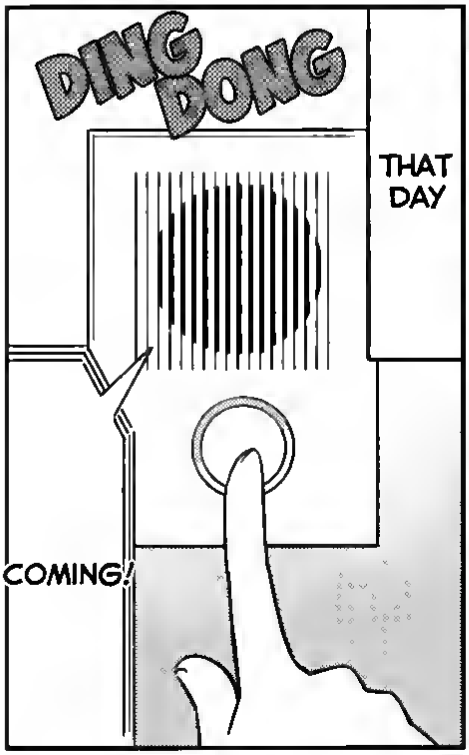
CHAPTER 369: HOW ABOUT A PAJAMA PARTY?

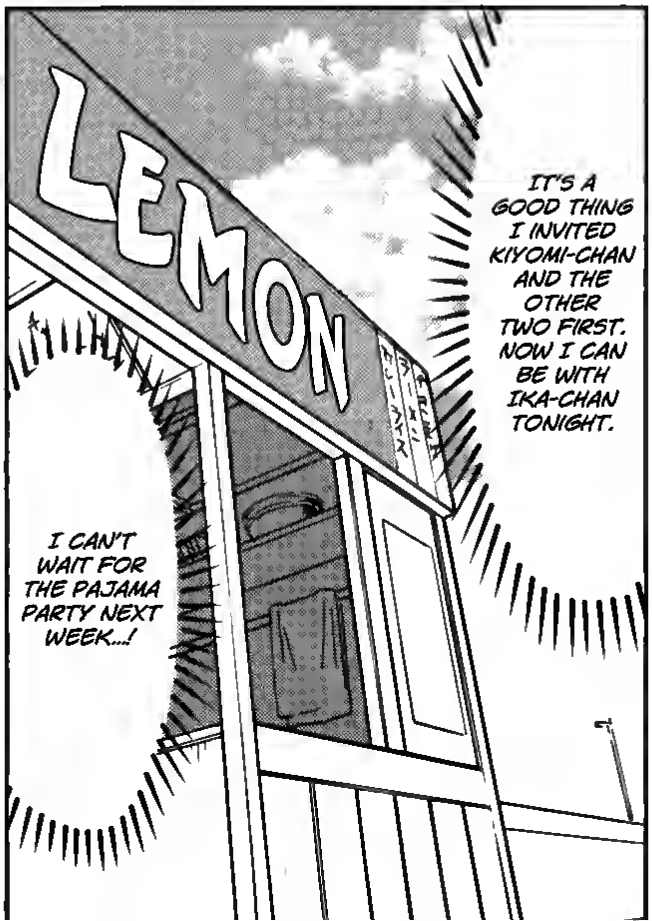


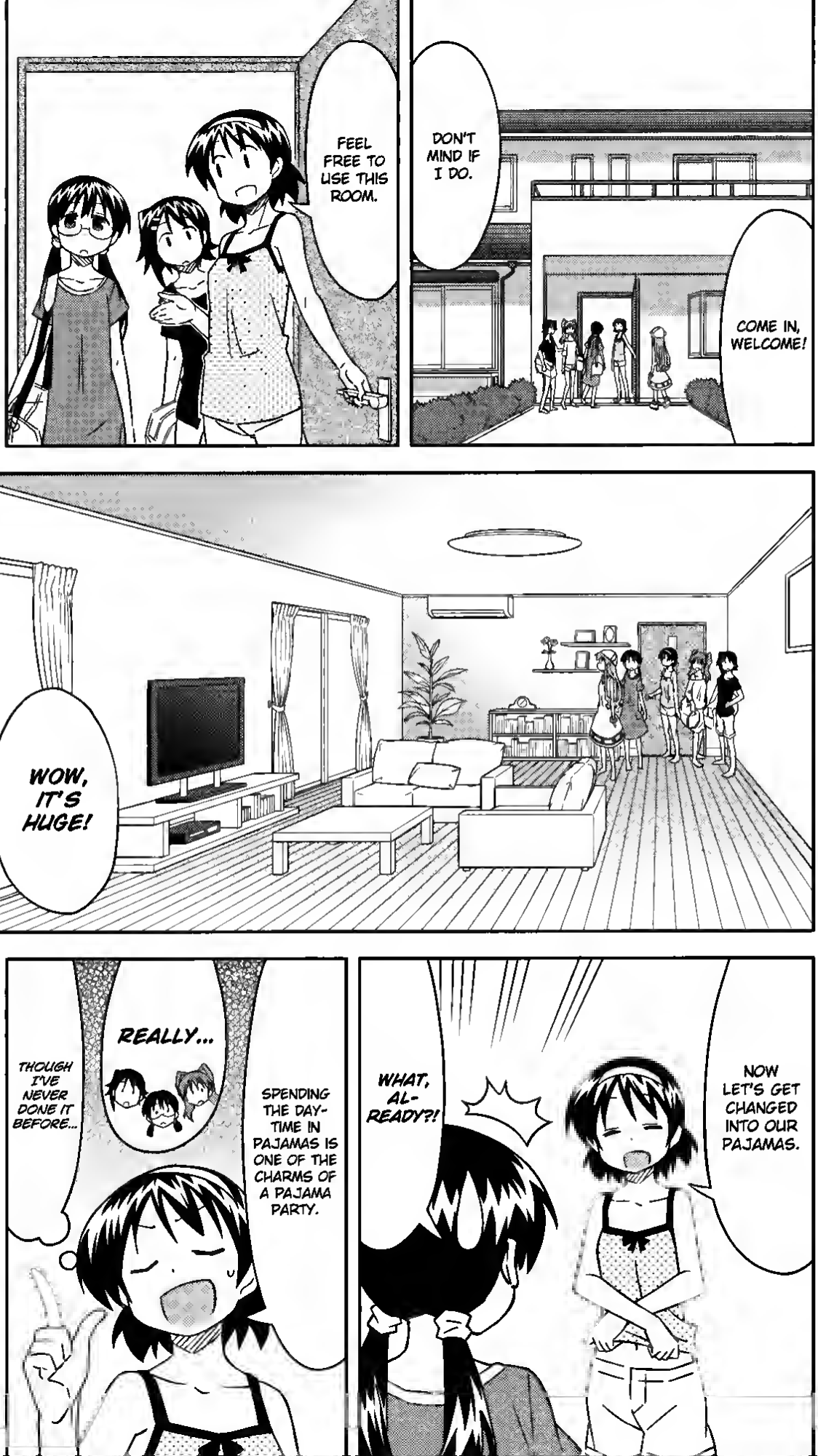




WELL, IF KIYOMI AND THE OTHERS ARE AROUND TOO...
JUST AS PLANNED...!


DING DONG
THAT DAY
COMING!

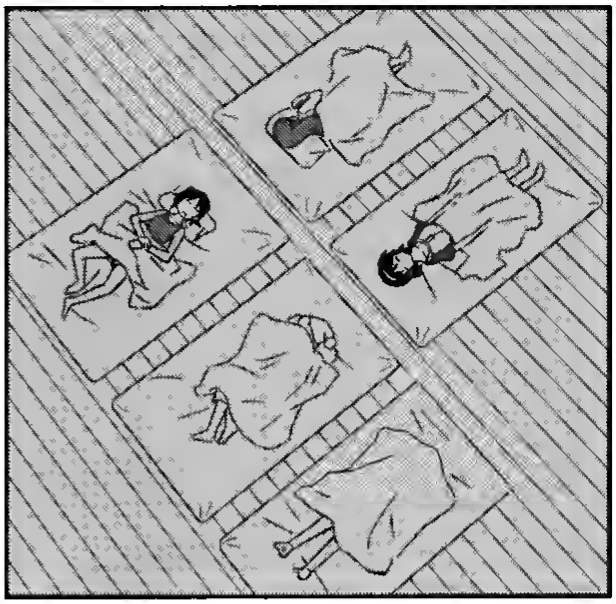

LEMON
IT'S A GOOD THING I INVITED KIYOMI-CHAN AND THE OTHER TWO FIRST. NOW I CAN BE WITH IKA-CHAN TONIGHT.
I CAN'T WAIT FOR THE PAJAMA PARTY NEXT WEEK...!


FEEL FREE TO USE THIS ROOM.
DON'T MIND IF I DO.
COME IN, WELCOME!
WOW, IT'S HUGE!
NOW LET'S GET CHANGED INTO OUR PAJAMAS.
WHAT, AL-READY?!
SPENDING THE DAY-TIME IN PAJAMAS IS ONE OF THE CHARMS OF A PAJAMA PARTY.
REALLY...
THOUGH I'VE NEVER DONE IT BEFORE...

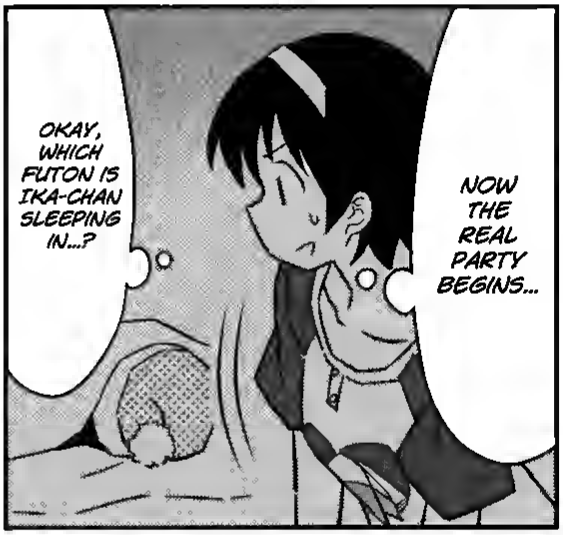
YOU'RE SO CUTE!
SNAP SNAP
ISN'T THIS TOO BAGGY FOR ME?
The clothes you give usually fit like a glove.
THE CLOTHES SUIT YOU, KIYOMI-CHAN!
I-I'M A LITTLE EMBAR-RASSED.
WOW, TOMOMI-CHAN LOOKS BOLD!
YUE-CHAN HAS A SPORTY LOOK.
I'M HUNGRY...
ALRIGHT, LET'S GO SHOPPING FOR A BIT FIRST.
R-REALLY?
LOVE
SANAE-SAN'S PAJAMA'S ARE ALSO IDIOSYNCRATIC.

I GUESS IT WAS A BIT TOO EARLY...
Should we change?
D-DON'T WORRY! I'VE GOT A GOOD AMOUNT OF FOOD IN STOCK!
AH.
YUP.
IT'S ABOUT TIME FOR SLEEP NOW.
WHEW. THAT WAS FUN.

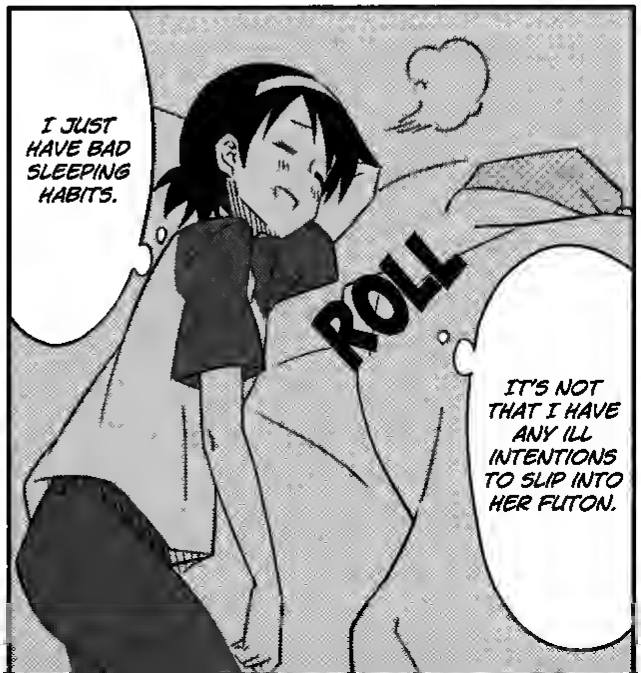
Wide Awake



THIS ONE!

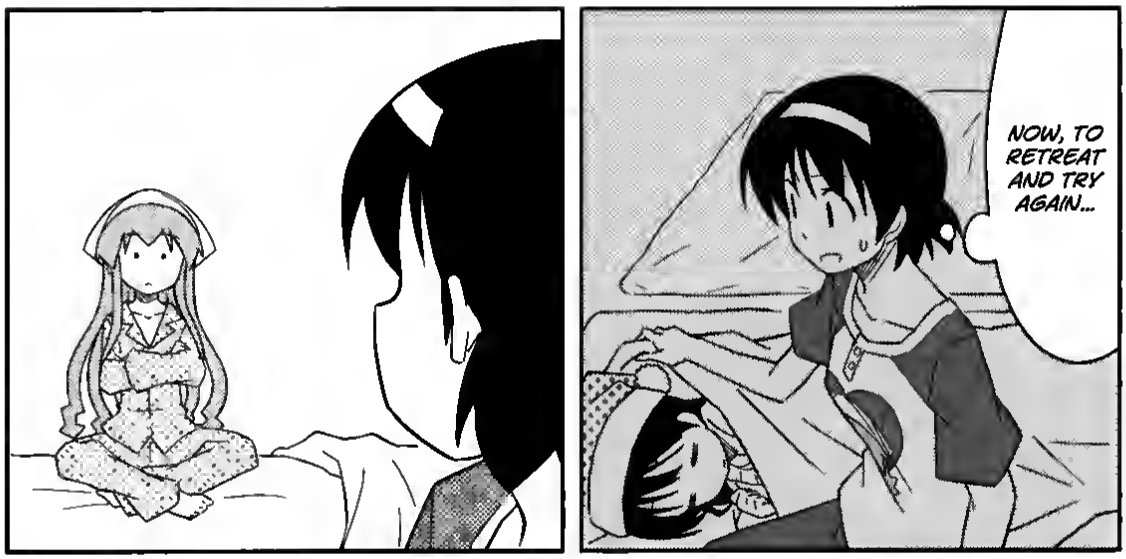

OKAY, WHICH FUTON IS IKA-CHAN SLEEPING IN...?
NOW THE REAL PARTY BEGINS...

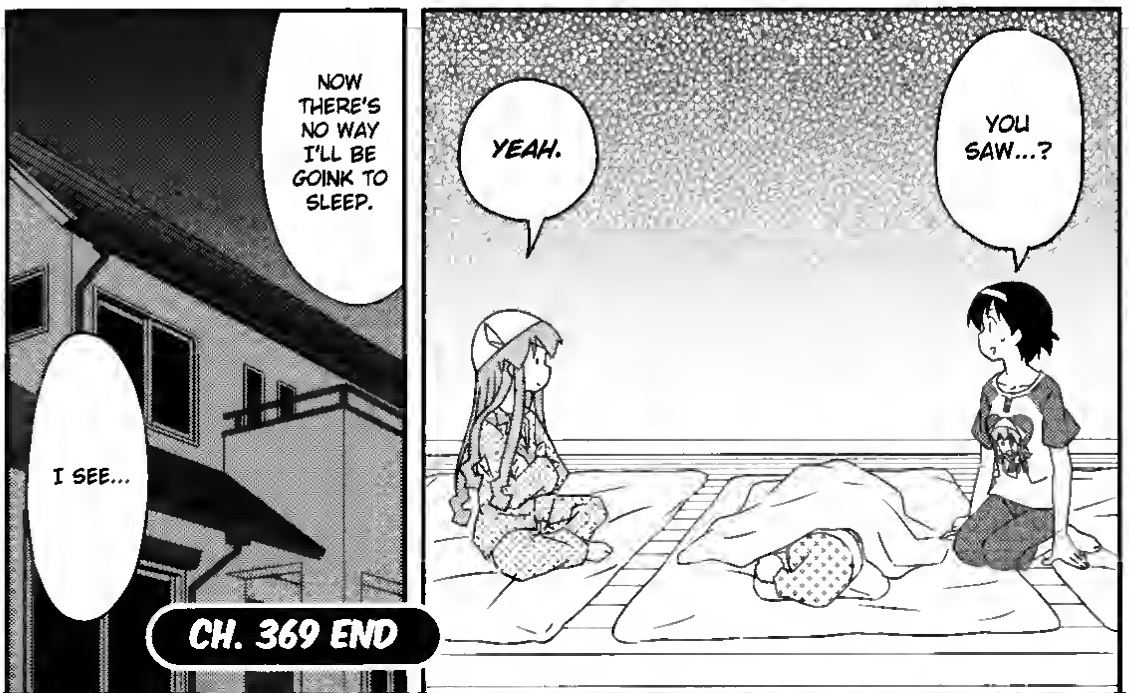
NOW, FOR IKA-CHAN'S SLEEPING FACE-
Peek


I JUST HAVE BAD SLEEPING HABITS.
ROLL
IT'S NOT THAT I HAVE ANY ILL INTENTIONS TO SLIP INTO HER FUTON.

KIYOMI-CHAN?!
HM...
SHE NOTICED!!
IKA-CHAN ANTICIPATED WHAT I WAS GOING TO DO AND HANDED KIYOMI-CHAN HER CAP BEFORE SLEEPING...!
Shhh!
?
HOW CAU-TIOUS OF HER...!
AH, GLASSES ...
IT'S DARK SO SHE CAN'T SEE, EIHTER.
...WHO IS IT?
IN TIMES LIKE THESE...

I'M SAVED THANKS TO HER SLEEPI-NESS.
OH, IT'S A CAT?
MEOOWW?
ME-


NOW, TO RETREAT AND TRY AGAIN...


NOW THERE'S NO WAY I'LL BE GOINK TO SLEEP.
I SEE...
YEAH.
YOU SAW...?
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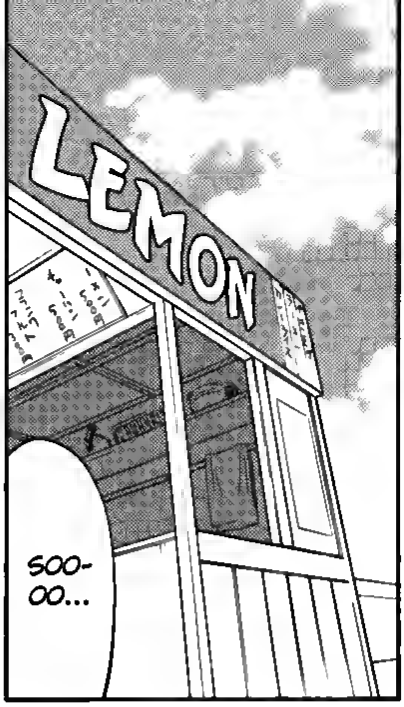
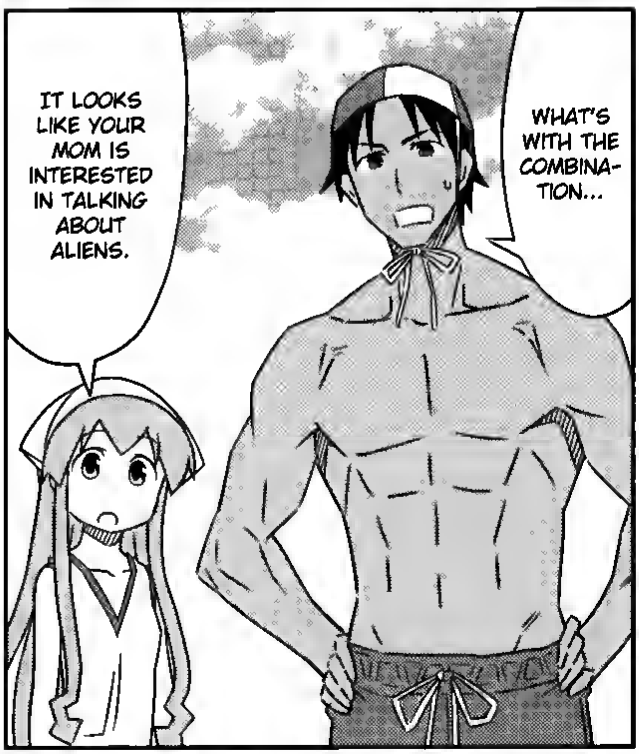
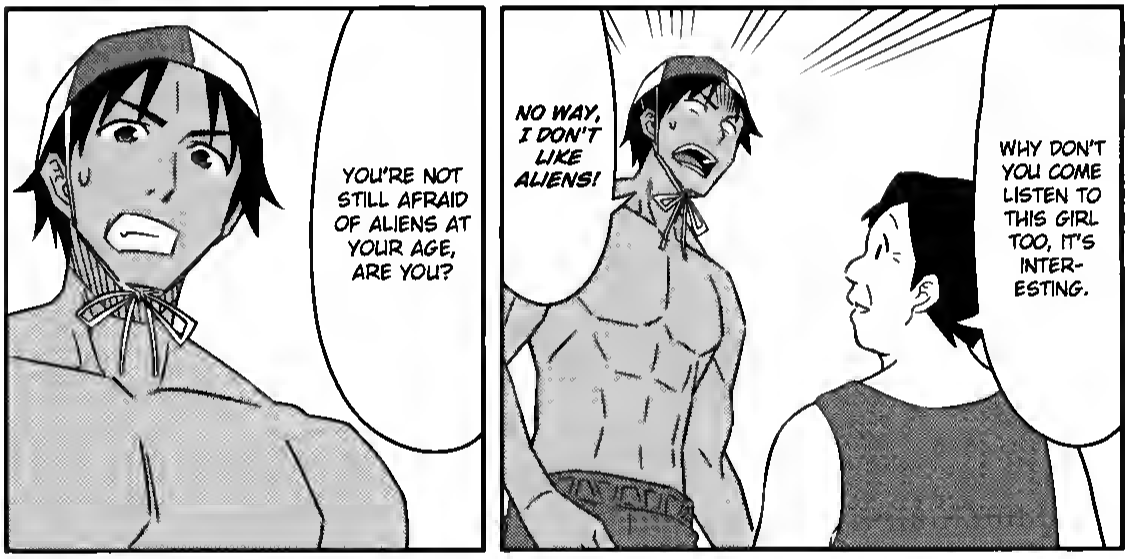


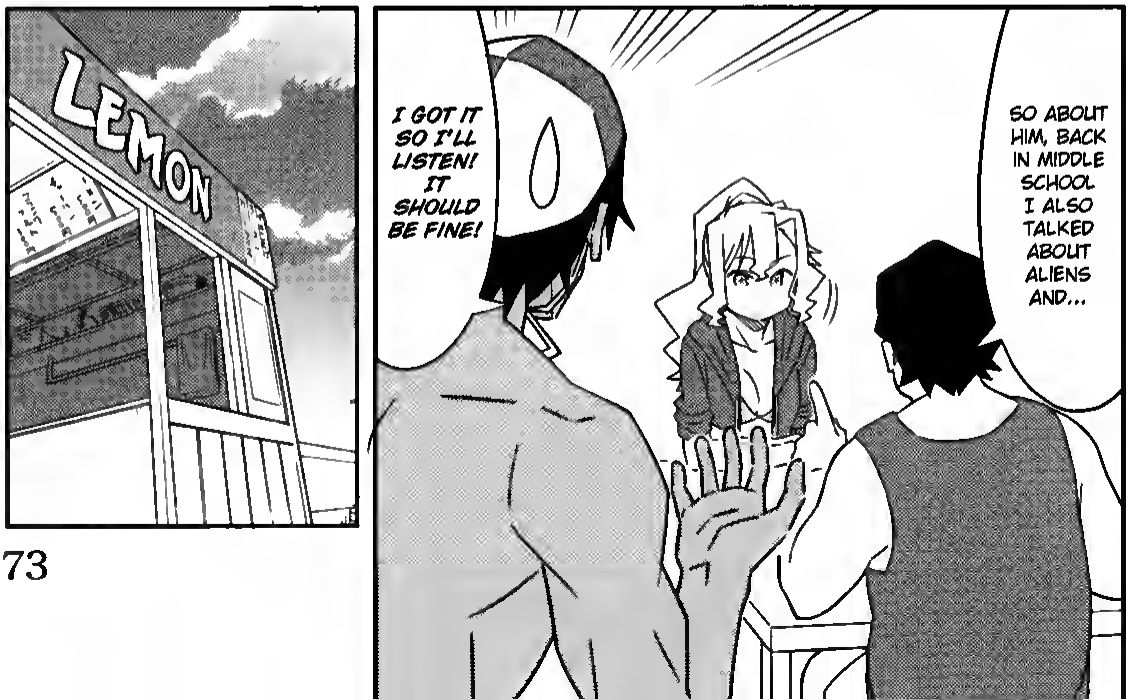
CHAPTER 370: WON'T YOU BE MY BUDDY TO TALK TO?

YES MA'AM...!


IT LOOKS LIKE YOUR MOM IS INTERESTED IN TALKING ABOUT ALIENS.
WHAT'S WITH THE COMBINA-TION...

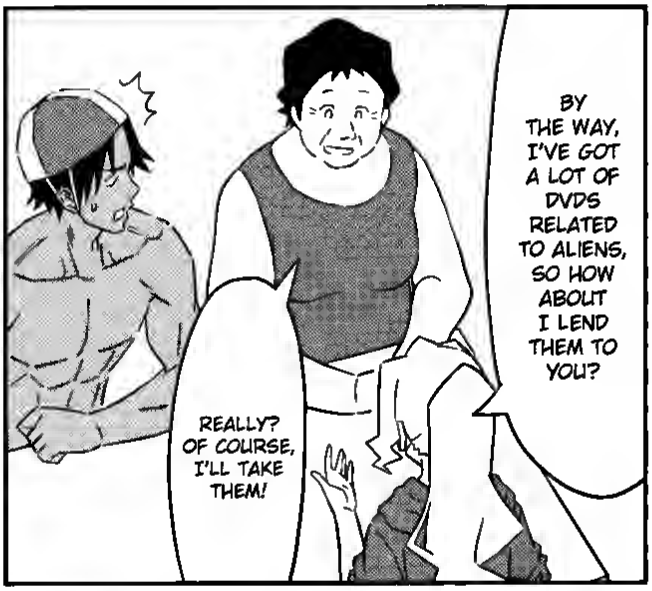
IF IT ISN'T GOROU.
YEAH...
THAT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE EVER SEEN CINDY ENJOYING HERSELF SO MUCH WHILE TALKING.

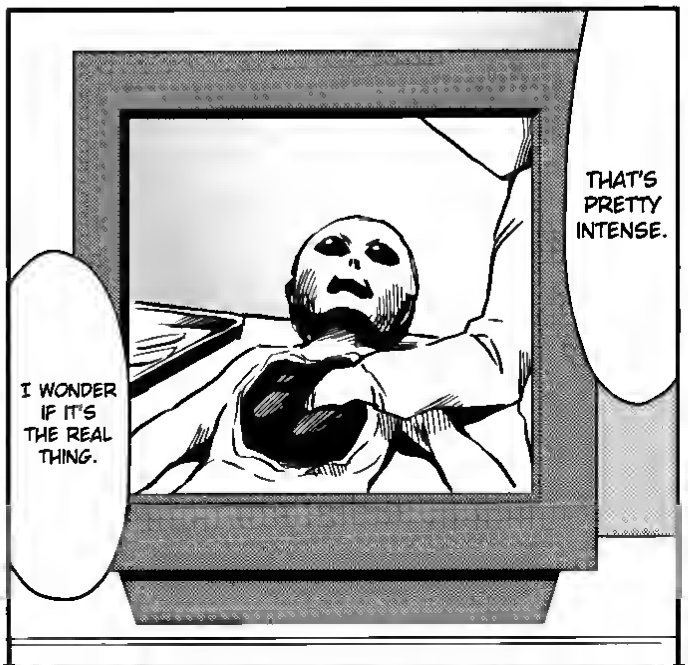

YOU'RE NOT STILL AFRAID OF ALIENS AT YOUR AGE, ARE YOU?
NO WAY, I DON'T LIKE ALIENS!
WHY DON'T YOU COME LISTEN TO THIS GIRL TOO, IT'S INTER-ESTING.


LEMON
I GOT IT SO I'LL LISTEN! IT SHOULD BE FINE!
SO ABOUT HIM, BACK IN MIDDLE SCHOOL I ALSO TALKED ABOUT ALIENS AND...

YEAH, IT'S PRETTY HOT TODAY, SO...
YOU'RE SWEATING A LOT.

...
YOU'VE GOT IT ROUGH.


BY THE WAY, I'VE GOT A LOT OF DVDS RELATED TO ALIENS, SO HOW ABOUT I LEND THEM TO YOU?
REALLY? OF COURSE, I'LL TAKE THEM!

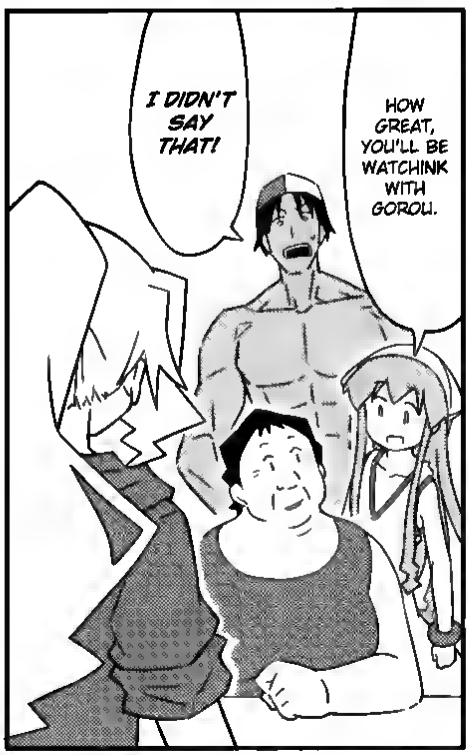

I WONDER IF IT'S THE REAL THING.
THAT'S PRETTY INTENSE.

HMM-MM...

IN THIS WAY, THE ALIEN HAS 3 HEARTS THA-
I'LL PASS. AND TURN DOWN THE VOLUME, TOO.
YOU SHOULD WATCH IT, GOROU.
I'VE BEEN SLEEPING PRETTY BADLY LATELY...
YOU'RE PRETTY WORN OUT.
FEW DAYS LATER
WAIT...
YEAH, UMM...
DO YOU HAVE THE NEXT DVD?

HEY YOU, AREN'T YOU BEING PASSIVE AGRESSIVE TOWARDS ME?!
IF THE ALIEN DVDS ARE THE CAUSE, THEN TELL IT TO ME STRAIGHT.
...THAT'S NOT IT.
I'M JUST NOT GOOD WITH THINGS RELATED TO ALIENS.
I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO MATCH THE ENTHUSIASM YOU HAVE FOR THEM.
IF YOU'VE GOT THE NEXT DVD, THEN GO AHEAD AND LEND IT.
MY MOM SEEMS TO BE LOOKING FORWARD TO IT, TOO.
OKAY... NO WORRIES THEN.

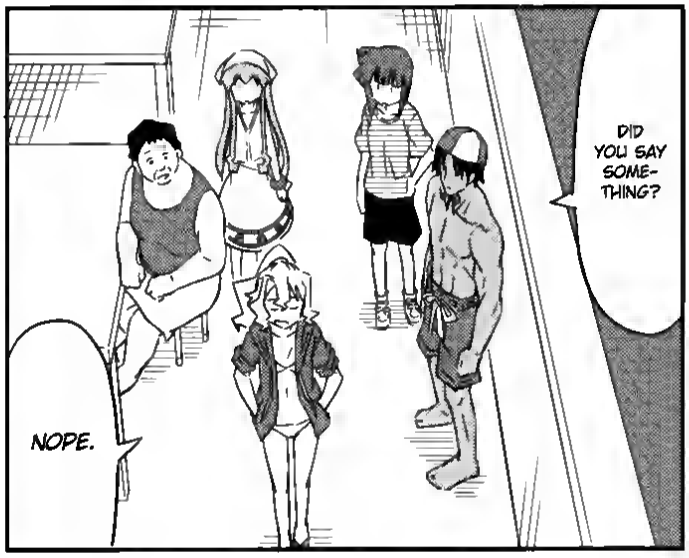
ACTUALLY, I'VE GOT 108 OF THESE RIGHT HERE, SO KEEP AT IT UNTIL THE END.
SHE'S GOING TO KILL ME!!


I DIDN'T SAY THAT!
HOW GREAT, YOU'LL BE WATCHINK WITH GOROU.

I BET YOU'RE REGRETTING IT NOW.
THERE'S NO WAY THAT'S TRUE.

THANK YOU.

FEW DAYS LATER
HUH?


DID YOU SAY SOMETHING?
NOPE.

I ALSO GOTTA PUT MORE EFFORT IN SHARING MY INTEREST OF ALIENS.
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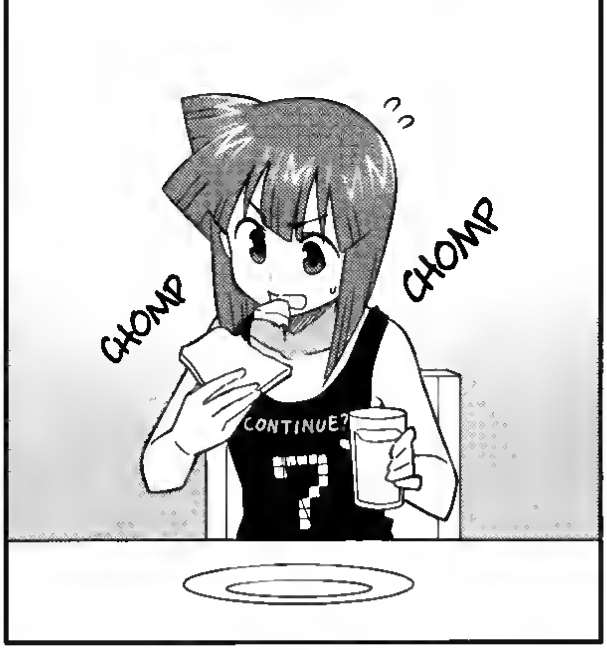
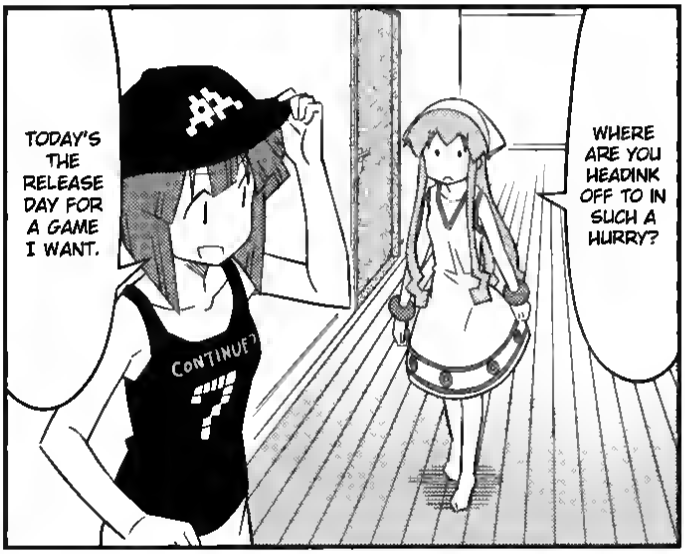
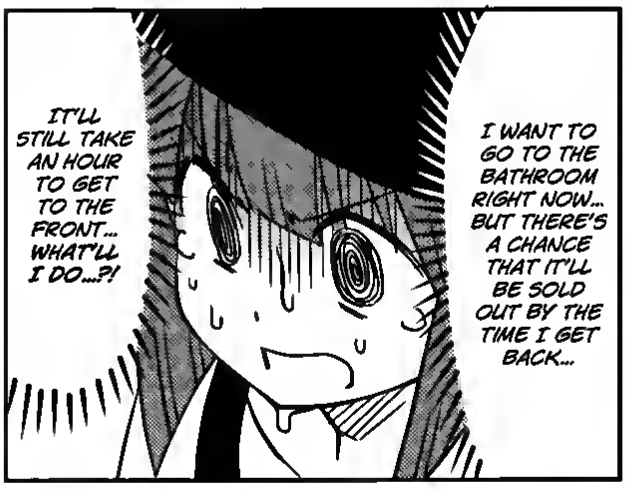
AH, WELL ...
YOU CAN WATCH IF IT'S THIS, RIGHT?
HOW CUTE, IT'S AN ANIME ABOUT ALIENS THIS TIME.

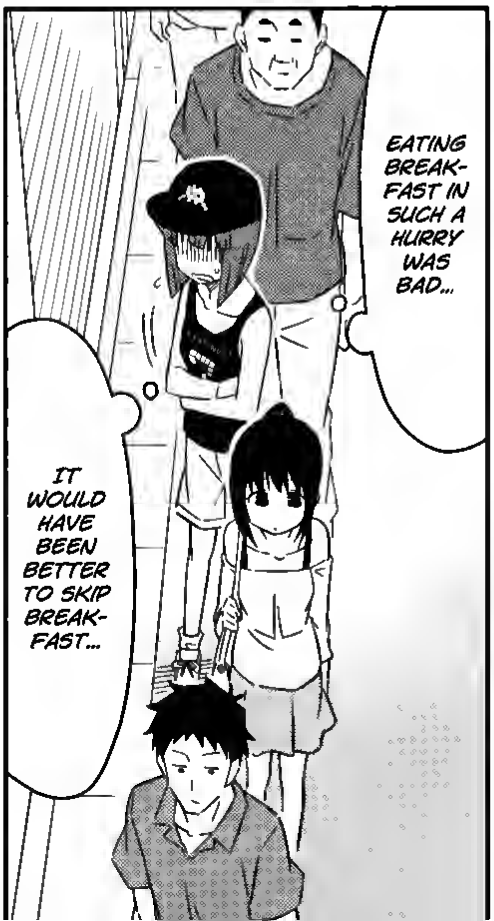
CHAPTER 371: AREN'T YOU LINING UP?





A STOMACH-ACHE AT A TIME LIKE THIS...?!
RUMBLE
CONTINUE?
RUMBLE
RUMBLE


I WANT TO GO TO THE BATHROOM RIGHT NOW... BUT THERE'S A CHANCE THAT IT'LL BE SOLD OUT BY THE TIME I GET BACK...
IT'LL STILL TAKE AN HOUR TO GET TO THE FRONT... WHAT'LL I DO...?!

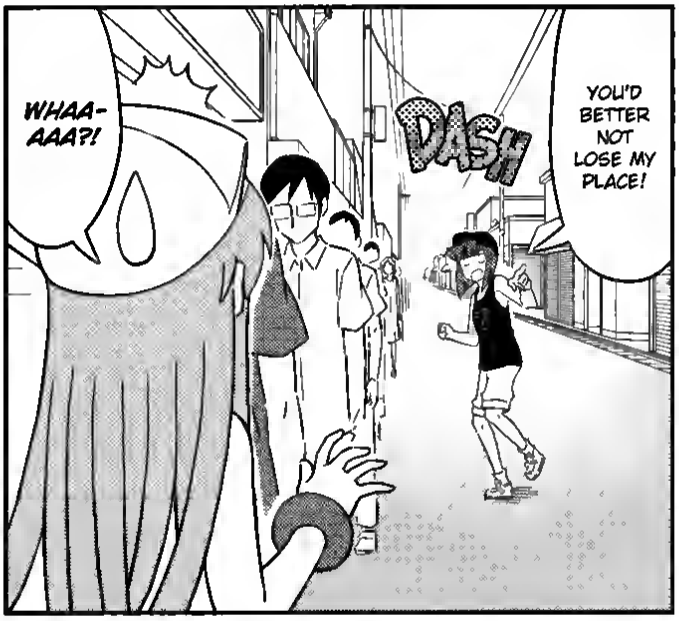

EATING BREAK-FAST IN SUCH A HURRY WAS BAD...
IT WOULD HAVE BEEN BETTER TO SKIP BREAK-FAST...

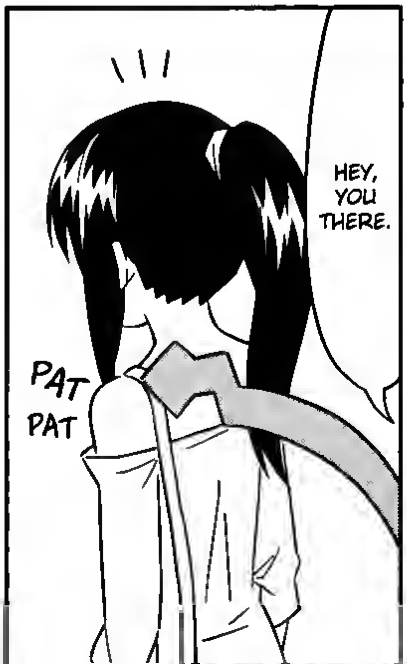
EIKO!

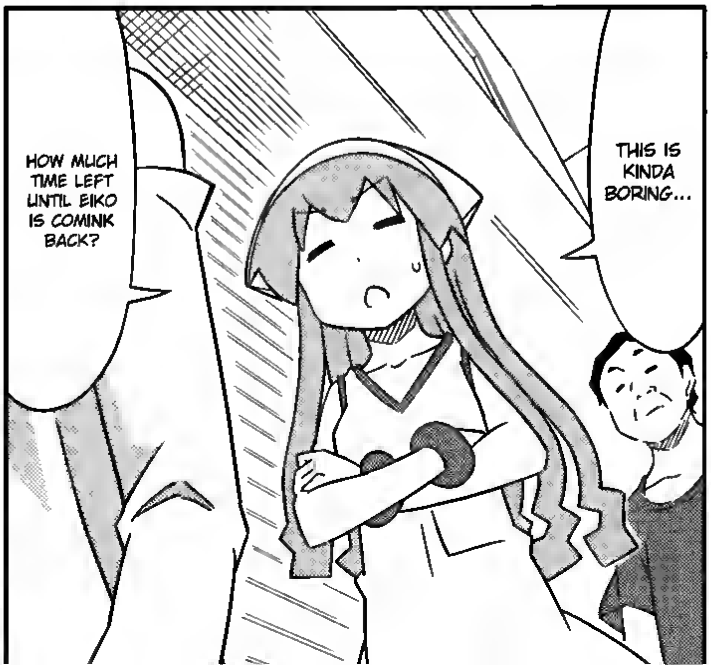
I'LL BE BACK SOON!
HUH?
GOOD THING YOU CAME! TAKE MY PLACE IN LINE!

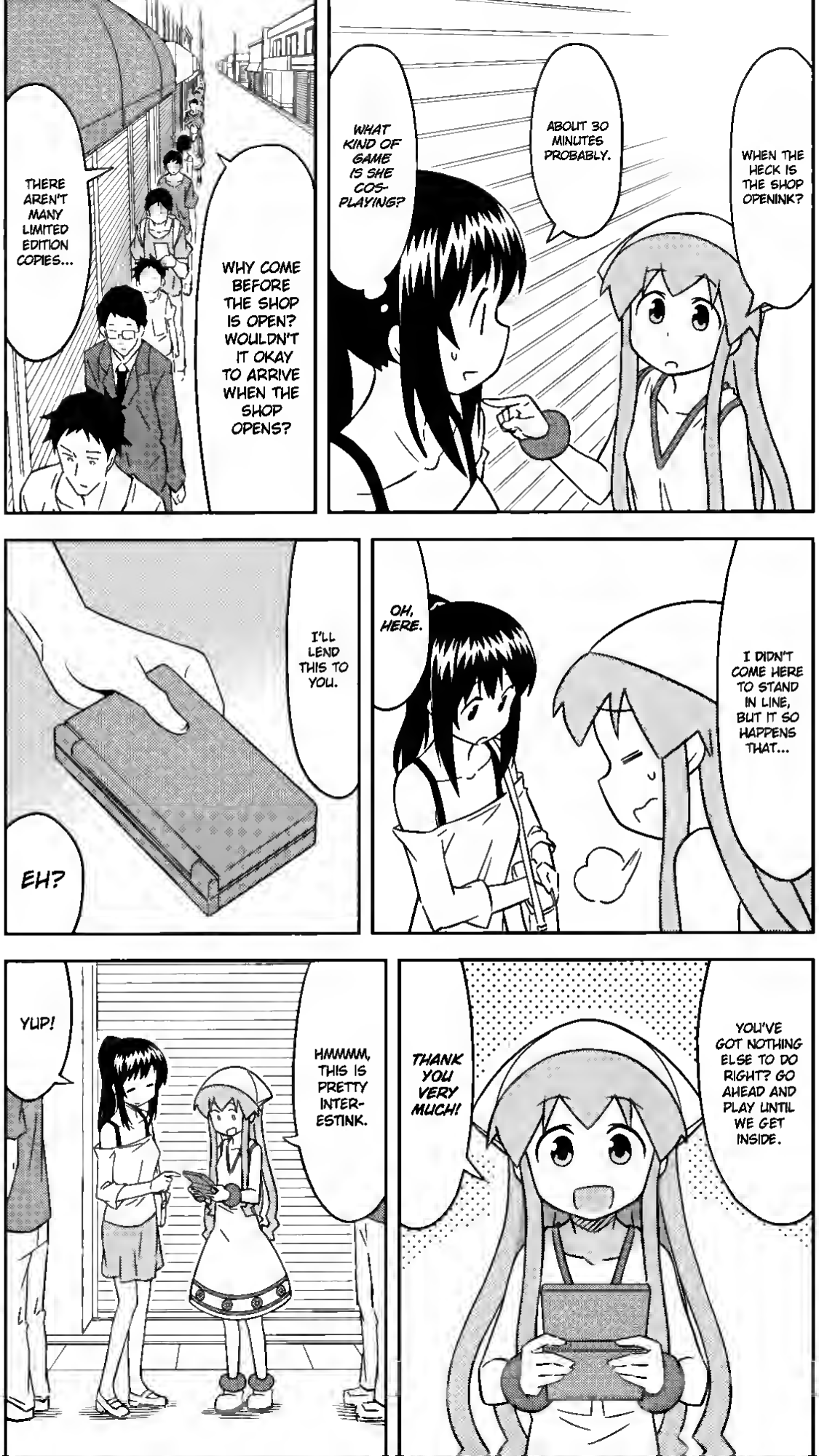
IKA MUSUME!
CONTINUE?
CHIZURU HAPPENED TO SAY THERE'S AN ERRAND SHE'D LIKE TO GET DONE!

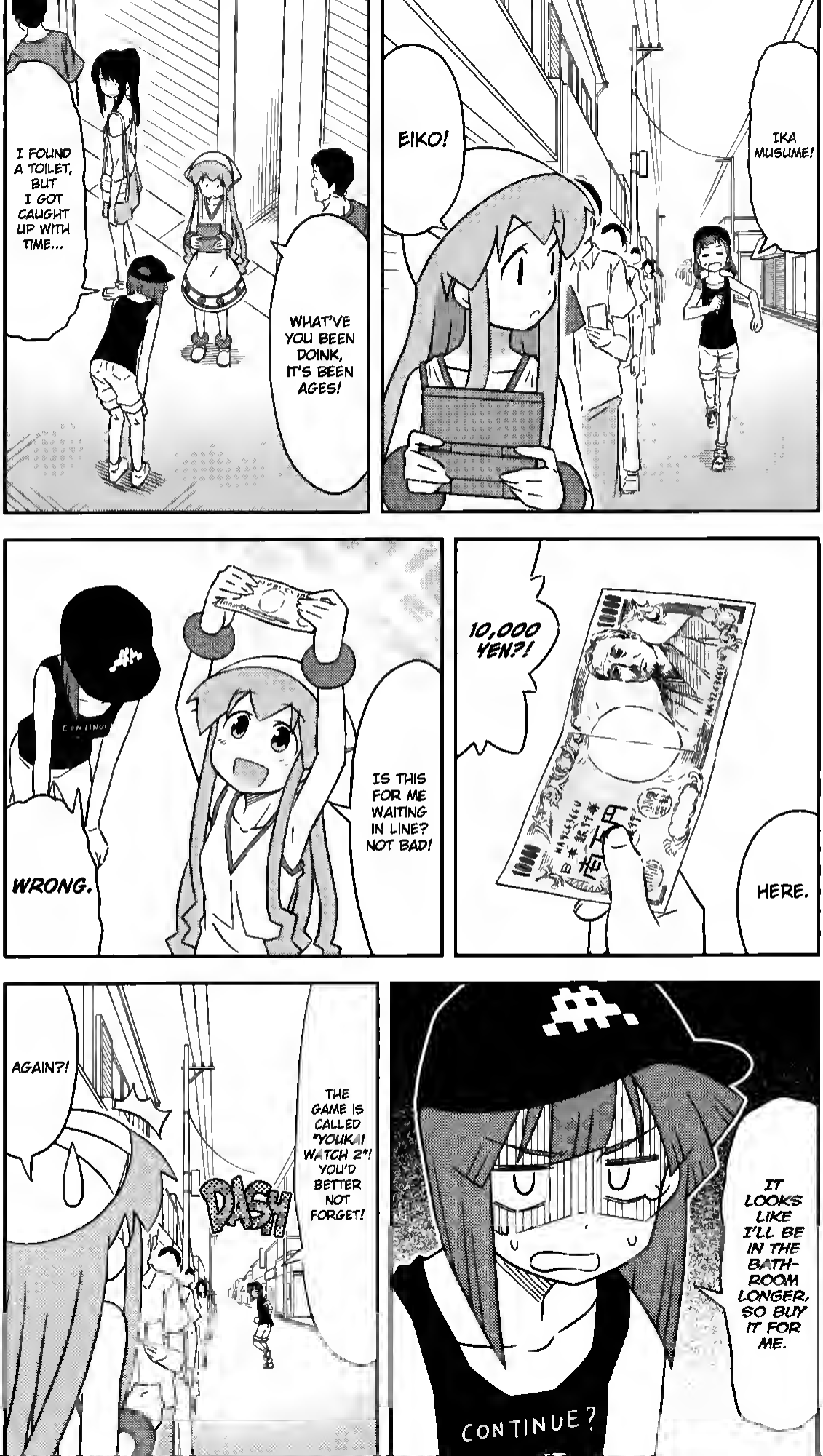
30 MINUTES LATER
Business hours
10am-10pm

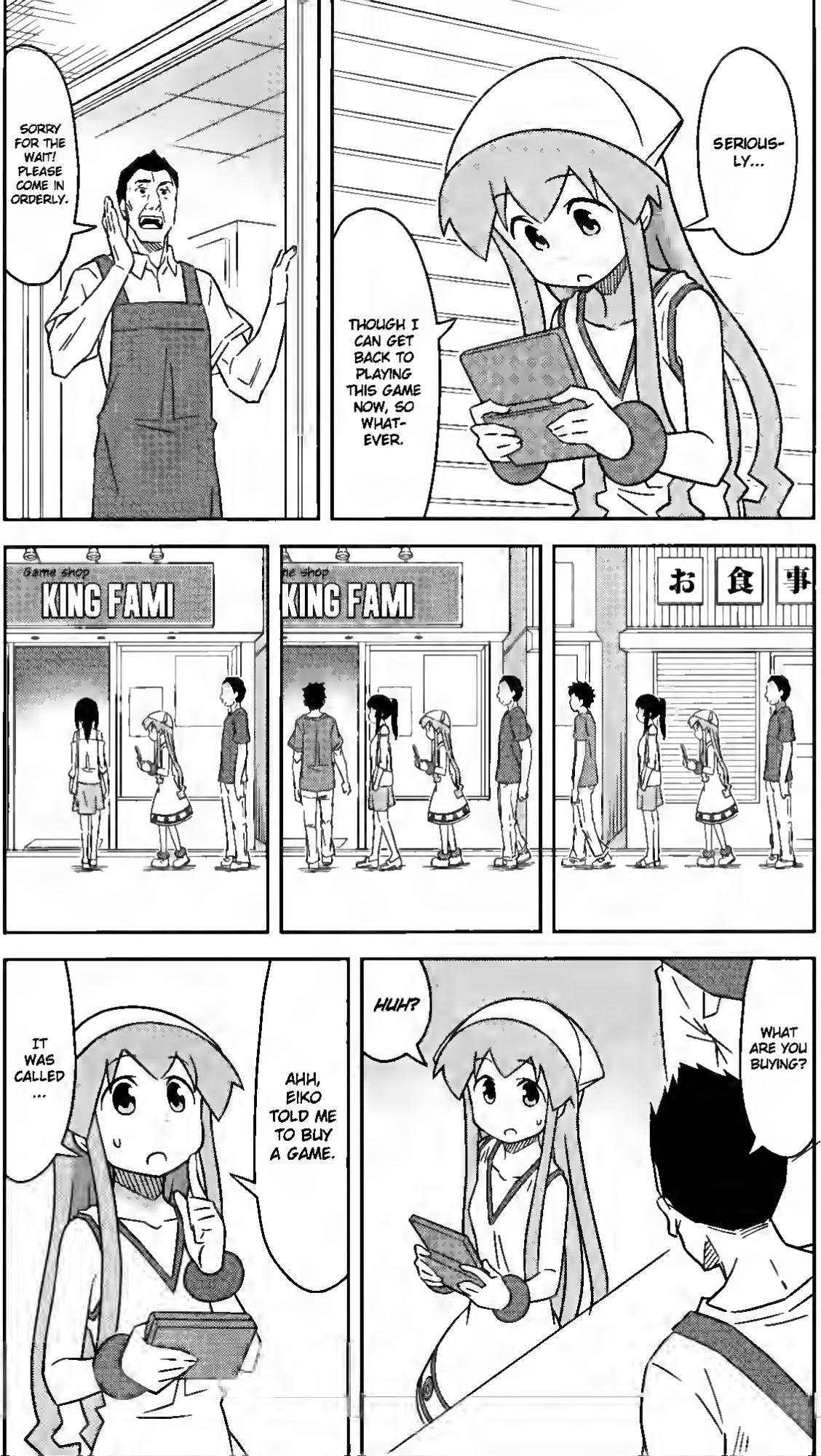

WHAA-AAA?!
DASH!
YOU'D BETTER NOT LOSE MY PLACE!

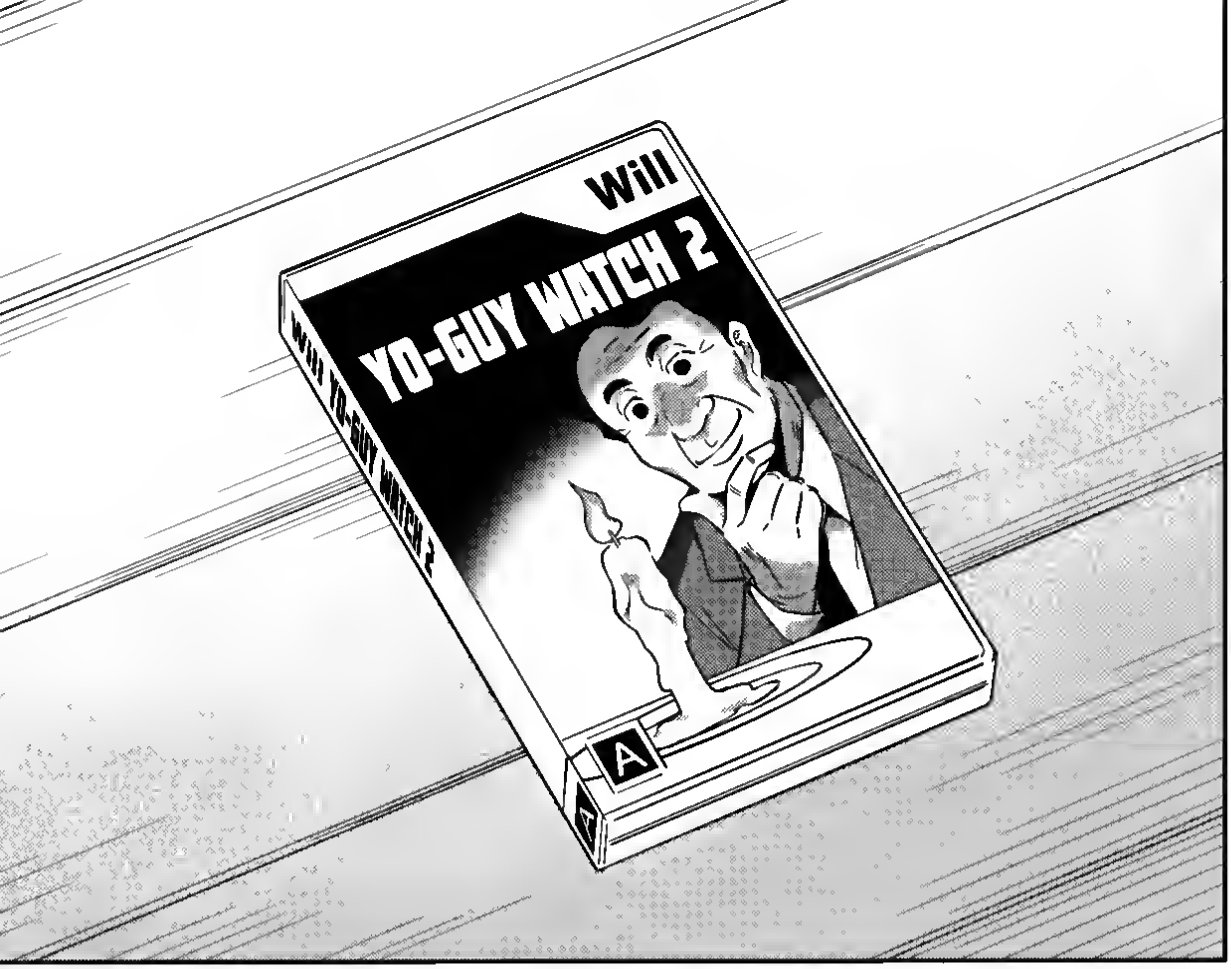

HEY, YOU THERE.
PAT PAT


HOW MUCH TIME LEFT UNTIL EIKO IS COMINK BACK?
THIS IS KINDA BORING...


WHEN THE HECK IS THE SHOP OPENINK?
ABOUT 30 MINUTES PROBABLY.
WHAT KIND OF GAME IS SHE COS-PLAYING?
WHY COME BEFORE THE SHOP IS OPEN? WOULDN'T IT OKAY TO ARRIVE WHEN THE SHOP OPENS?
THERE AREN'T MANY LIMITED EDITION COPIES...
I DIDN'T COME HERE TO STAND IN LINE, BUT IT SO HAPPENS THAT...
OH, HERE.
I'LL LEND THIS TO YOU.
EH?
YOU'VE GOT NOTHING ELSE TO DO RIGHT? GO AHEAD AND PLAY UNTIL WE GET INSIDE.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!
HMMMM, THIS IS PRETTY INTER-ESTINK.
YUP!


I FOUND A TOILET, BUT I GOT CAUGHT UP WITH TIME...
WHAT'VE YOU BEEN DOINK, IT'S BEEN AGES!
EIKO!
IKA MUSUME!
IS THIS FOR ME WAITING IN LINE? NOT BAD!
WRONG.
10,000 YEN?!
HERE.
AGAIN?!
THE GAME IS CALLED "YOUKAI WATCH 2"! YOU'D BETTER NOT FORGET!
DASH
IT LOOKS LIKE I'LL BE IN THE BATH-ROOM LONGER, SO BUY IT FOR ME.
CONTINUE?


SORRY FOR THE WAIT! PLEASE COME IN ORDERLY.
SERIOUS-LY...
THOUGH I CAN GET BACK TO PLAYING THIS GAME NOW, SO WHAT-EVER.
Game shop
KING FAMI
KING FAMI
お 食 事
IT WAS CALLED ...
AHH, EIKO TOLD ME TO BUY A GAME.
HUH?
WHAT ARE YOU BUYING?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YO-GUY WATCH 2
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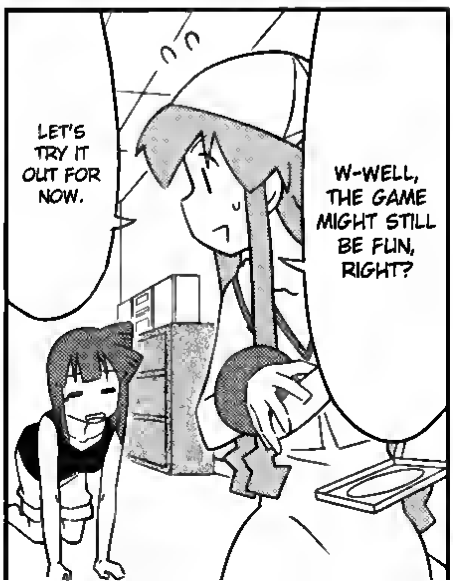
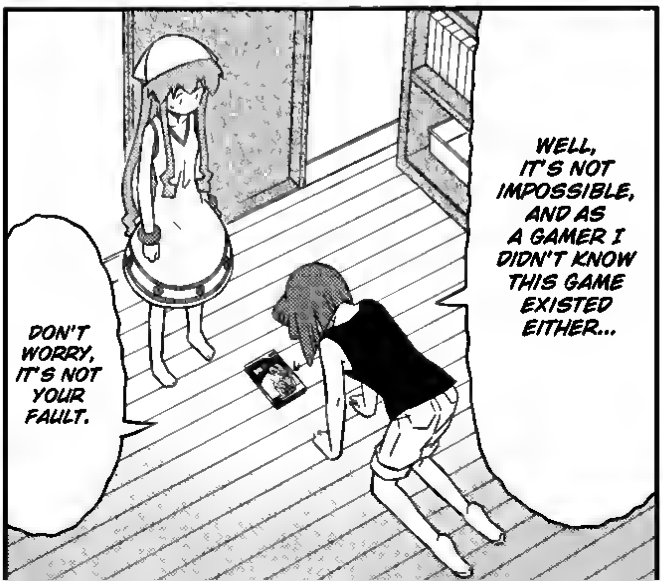
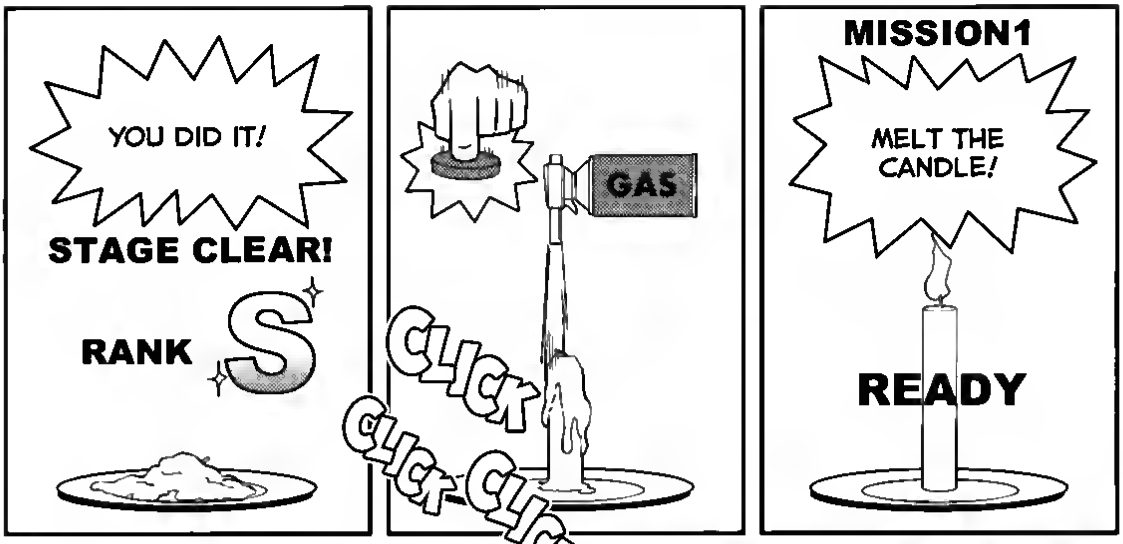
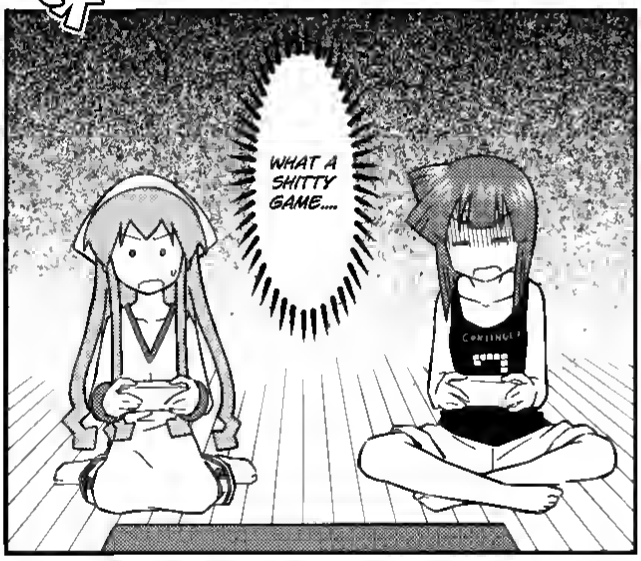
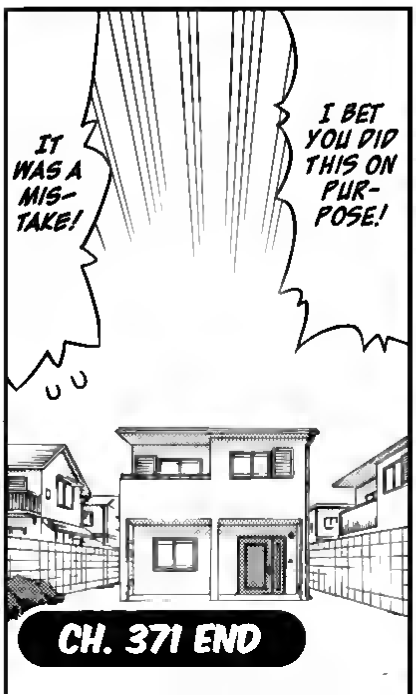

LET'S TRY IT OUT FOR NOW.
W-WELL, THE GAME MIGHT STILL BE FUN, RIGHT?


WELL, IT'S NOT IMPOSSIBLE, AND AS A GAMER I DIDN'T KNOW THIS GAME EXISTED EITHER...
DON'T WORRY, IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT.


YOU DID IT!
STAGE CLEAR!
RANK S
GAS
CLICK
CLICK-CLICK
MISSION1
MELT THE CANDLE!
READY

REALLY ... WHICH ONE?
COME TO THINK OF IT, THE PERSON IN FRONT OF ME LET ME PLAY A FUN GAME.


WHAT A SHITTY GAME....


IT WAS A MIS-TAKE!
I BET YOU DID THIS ON PUR-POSE!
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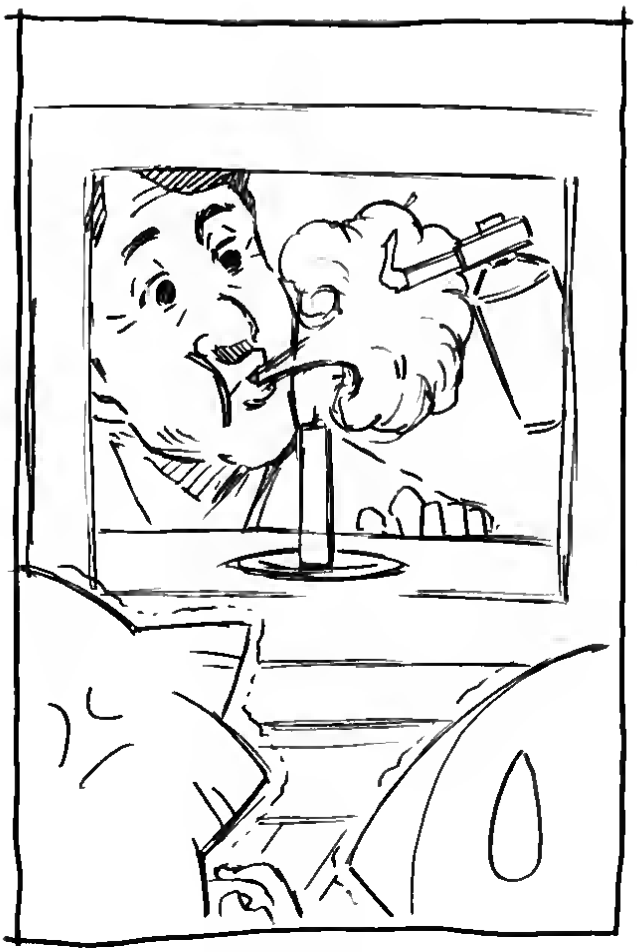
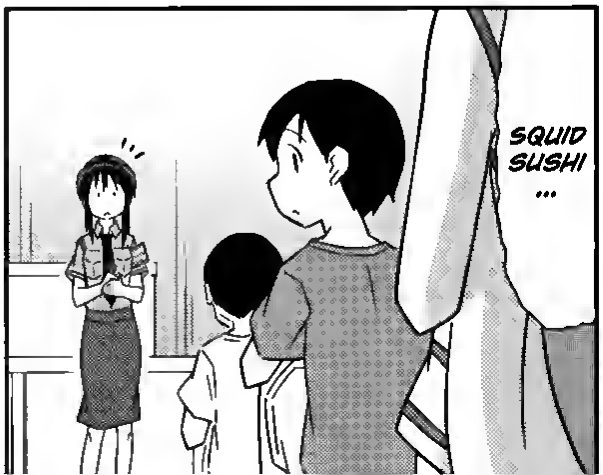
YOUKAI WATCH...

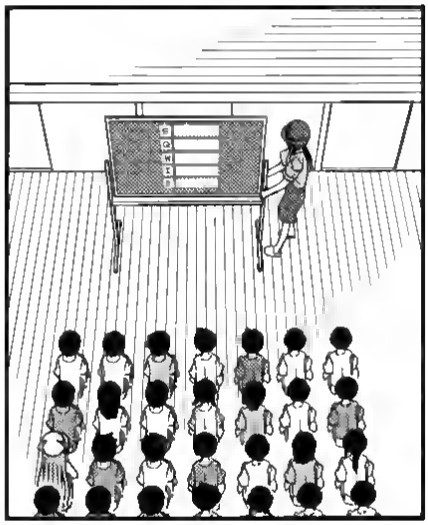


The invader comes from the bottom of the sea!

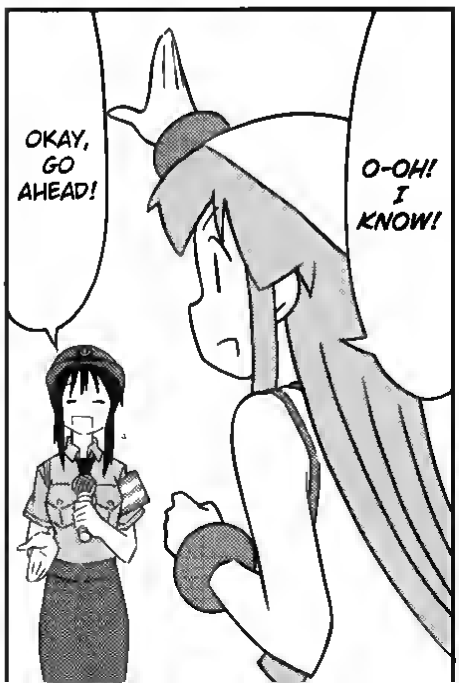
CHAPTER 372: ISN'T IT A SELF DEFENSE CLASS?

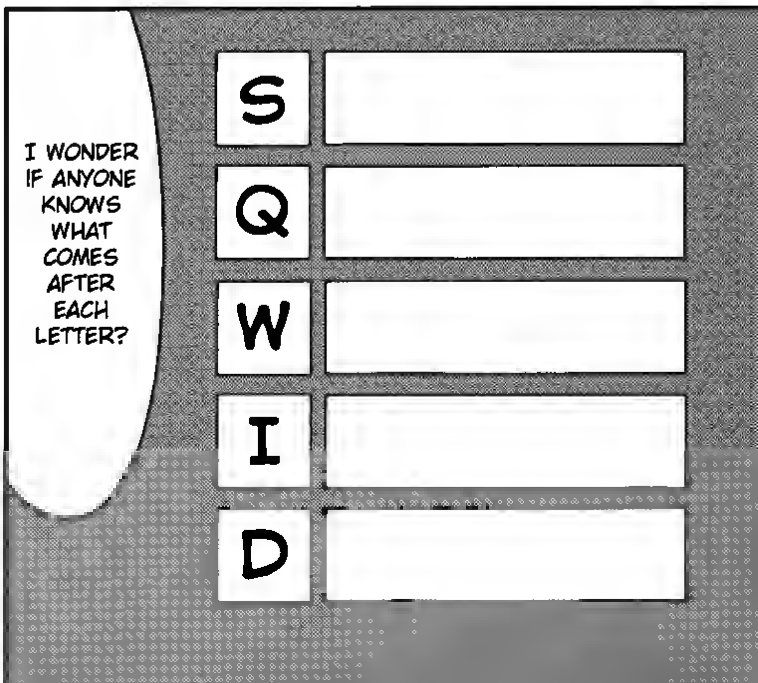


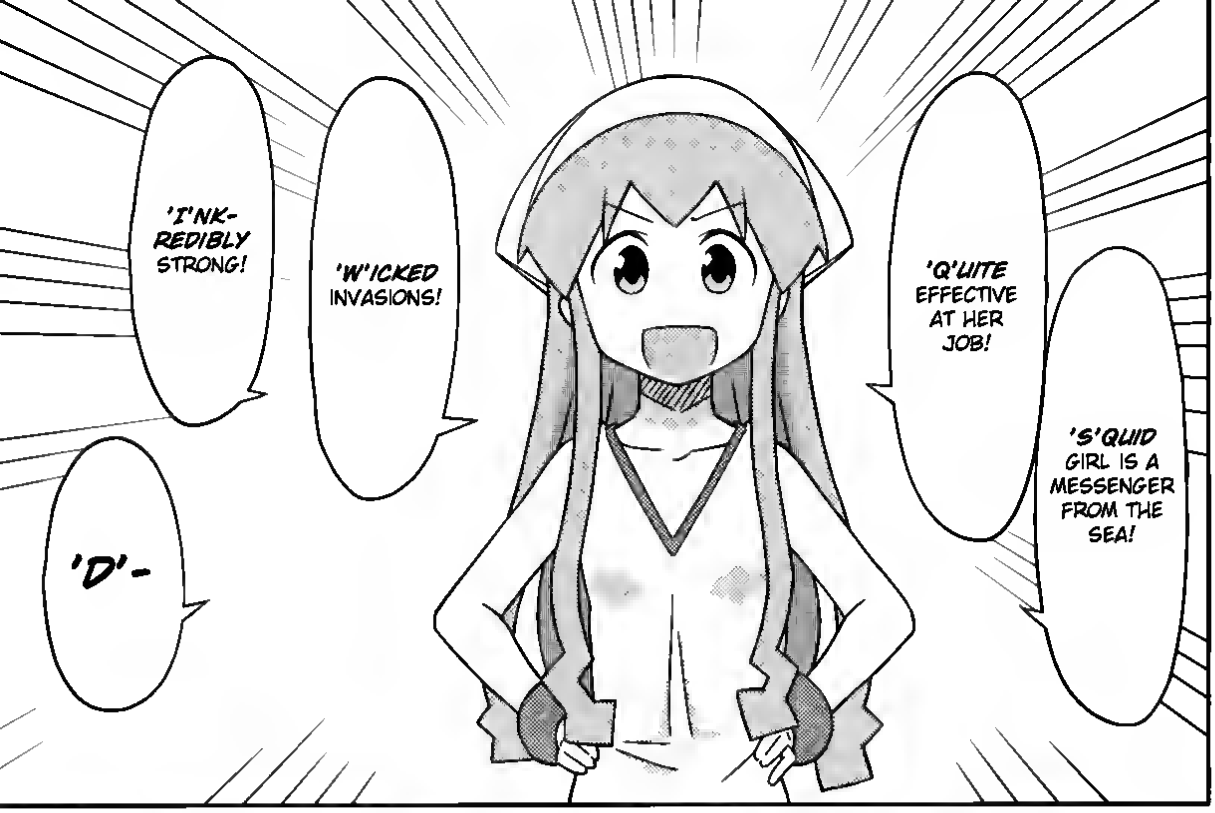
WHY IS IKA MUSUME-SAN HERE...?!
THEY MAKE SUSHI OUT OF ME, TOO...?!

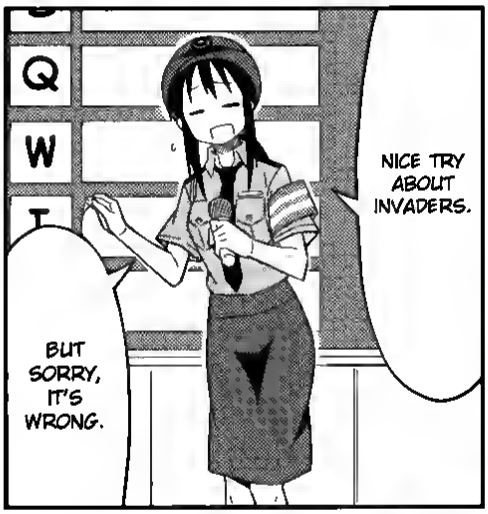


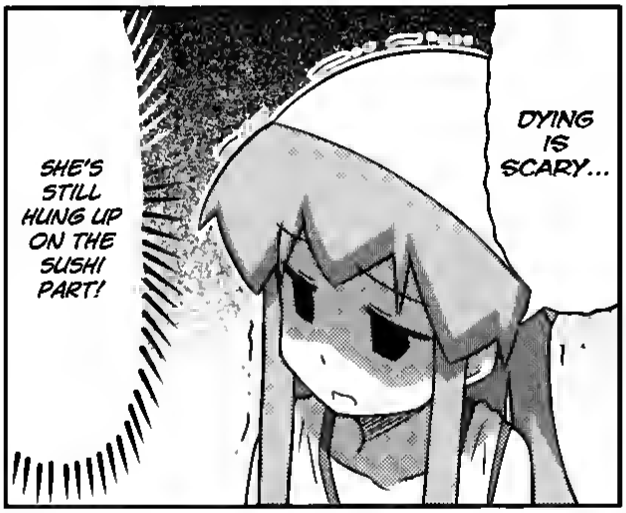
AN ACRO-NYM?
IT'S AN ACRONYM FOR PRE-VENTING CRIME!
YOU'VE GOT IT WRONG! IT'S NOT MEANT TO REFER TO FOOD YOU EAT!


OKAY, GO AHEAD!
O-OH! I KNOW!

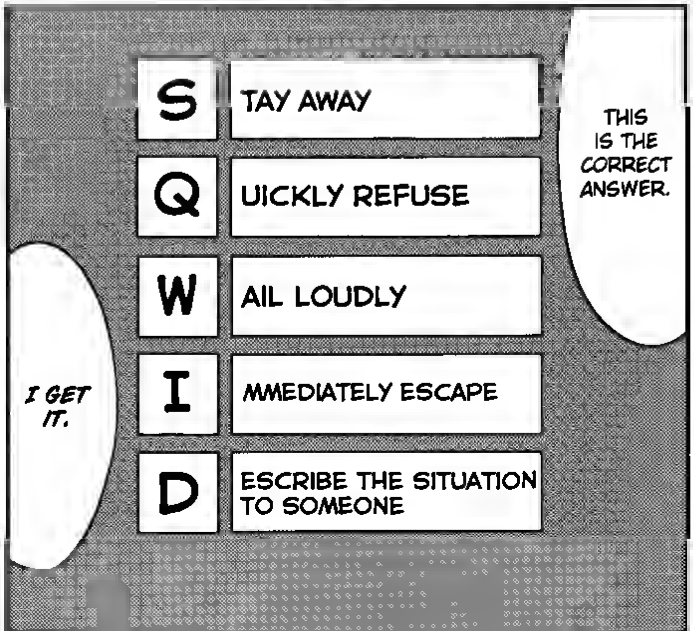

I WONDER IF ANYONE KNOWS WHAT COMES AFTER EACH LETTER?
S
Q
W
I
D


'I'NK-REDIBLY STRONG!
'W'ICKED INVASIONS!
'Q'UITE EFFECTIVE AT HER JOB!
'S'QUID GIRL IS A MESSENGER FROM THE SEA!
'D'-


Q
W
NICE TRY ABOUT INVADERS.
BUT SORRY, IT'S WRONG.

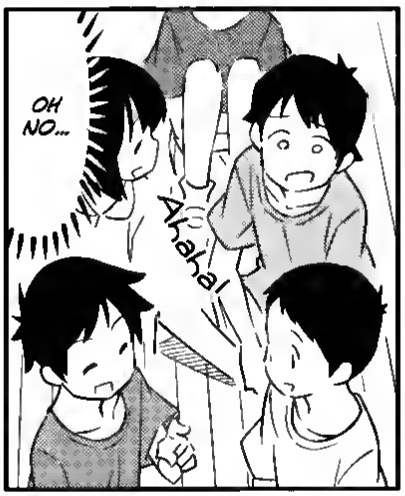

DYING IS SCARY...
SHE'S STILL HUNG UP ON THE SUSHI PART!

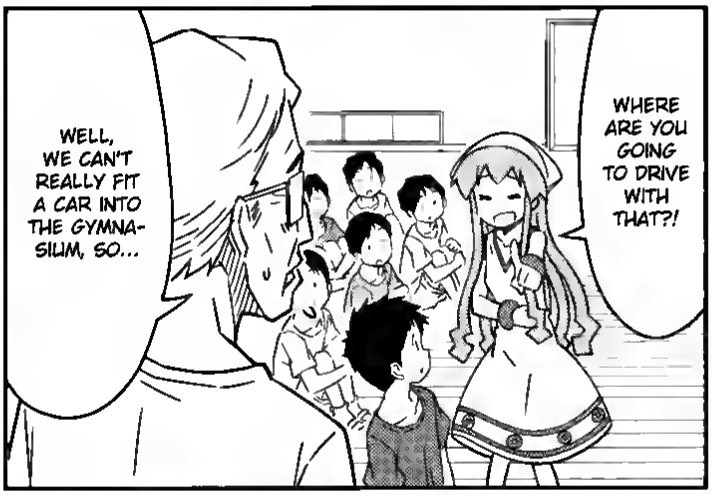
Will you please?
NOW, LET'S PUT THIS TO THE TEST.


S TAY AWAY
Q UICKLY REFUSE
W AIL LOUDLY
I MMEDIATELY ESCAPE
D ESCRIBE THE SITUATION TO SOMEONE
THIS IS THE CORRECT ANSWER.
I GET IT.

HEY THERE BUDDY, I'LL GIVE YOU THIS CANDY IF YOU COME BACK TO MY PLACE.
STAY AWAY!
WELL DONE! YOU SHOULD TELL SUSPICIOUS PEOPLE TO 'S'TAY AWAY!
NOBODY'S GOINK TO GO WITH YOU WITH SUCH AN OBVIOUS TRAP.
WANNA GO INVADINK WITH ME?
THAT'S WAY MORE SUSPICIOUS, YOU KNOW!
OHHH, I DO, I DO!
AHH, BUT THE KIDS ARE ARE FALLING FOR IT...!
THAT'S WRONG, YOU SHOULDN'T FOLLOW HER SO EASILY.
WELL, NEXT IS...
VROOM BROOM VROOM!

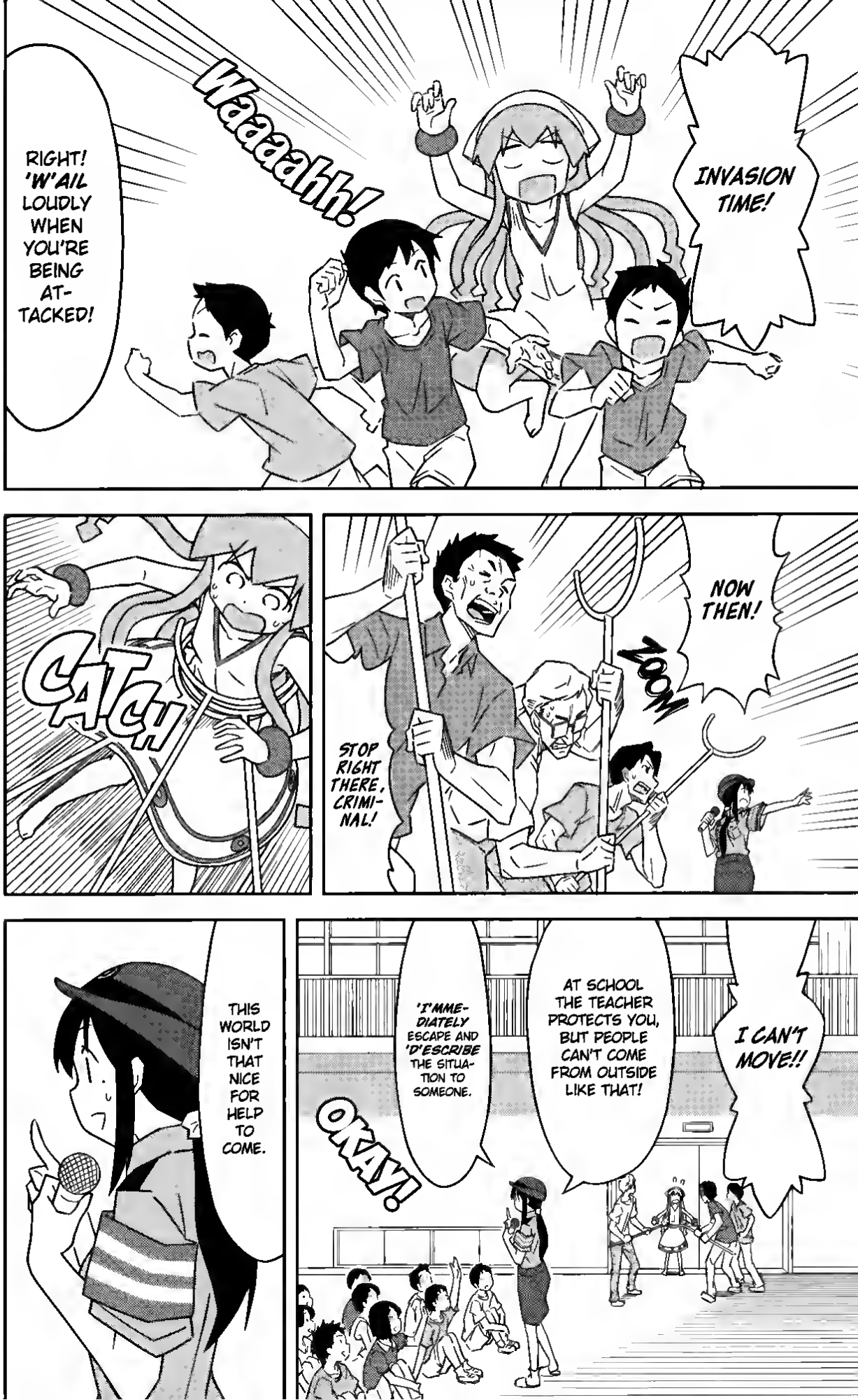
AHA HAHA HAHA HA!
NO THANKS.
WANNA COME WITH ME FOR A RIDE?

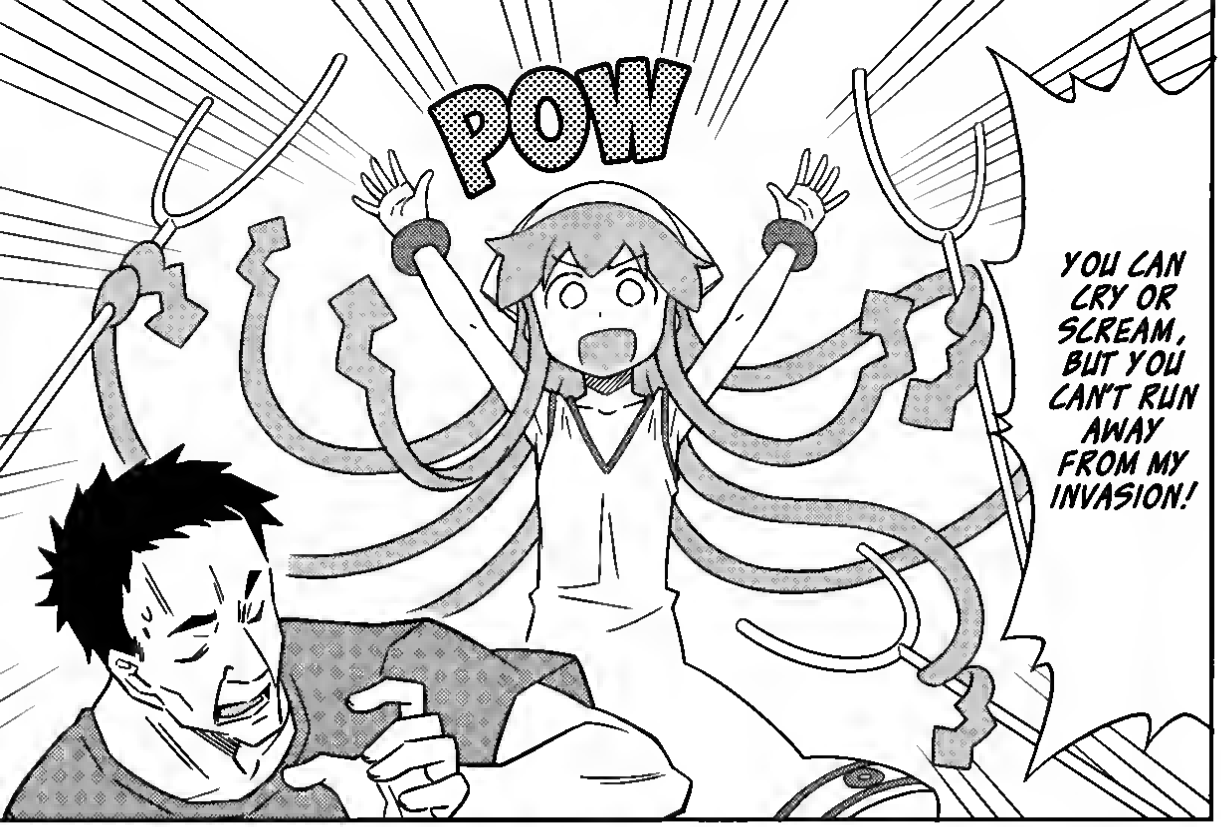

OH NO...
Ahaha!

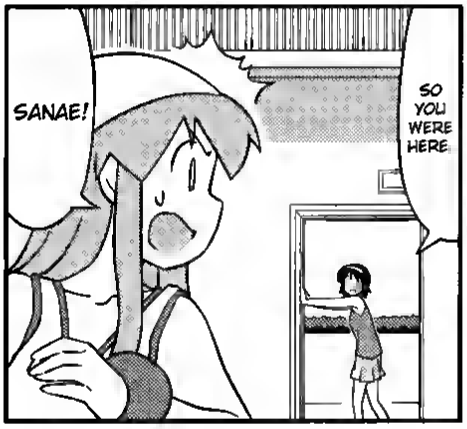

WELL, WE CAN'T REALLY FIT A CAR INTO THE GYMNASIUM, SO...
WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO DRIVE WITH THAT?!

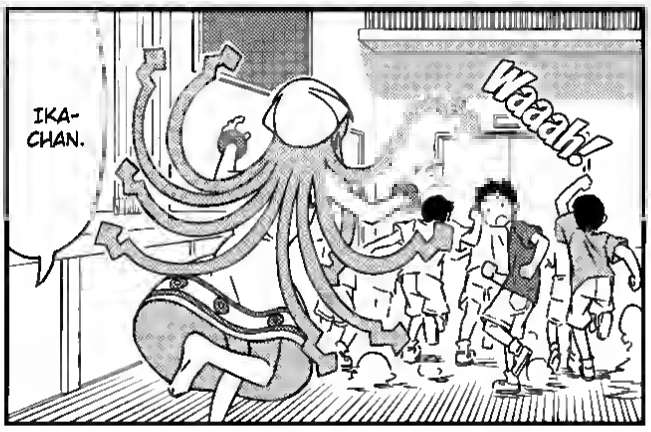
ALRIGHT THEN.
IKA MUSUME-SAN, CAN YOU ACT AS A CRIMINAL ATTACKING THE KIDS NEXT?

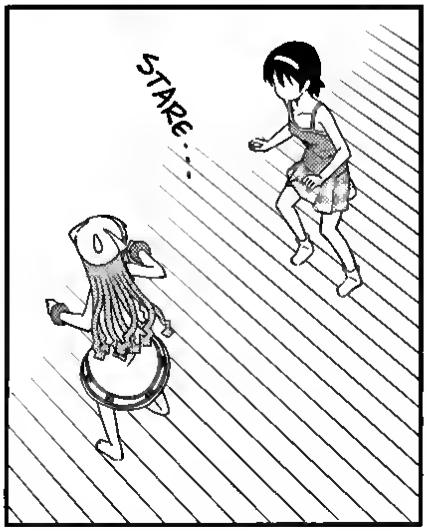
I NEED TO STOP IKA MUSUME-SAN SOMEHOW...!
THE KIDS ARE BEING CAUGHT UP WITH IKA MUSUME-SAN'S ATTITUDE AND WON'T TAKE THIS SERIOUSLY!
THIS SESSION WILL BE USELESS IF WE KEEP THIS UP!


Waaaahh!
INVASION TIME!
RIGHT! 'W'AIL LOUDLY WHEN YOU'RE BEING AT-TACKED!
CATCH
NOW THEN!
ZOOM
STOP RIGHT THERE, CRIMI-NAL!
I CAN'T MOVE!!
AT SCHOOL THE TEACHER PROTECTS YOU, BUT PEOPLE CAN'T COME FROM OUTSIDE LIKE THAT!
'I'MME-DIATELY ESCAPE AND 'D'ESCRIBE THE SITUA-TION TO SOMEONE.
OKAY!
THIS WORLD ISN'T THAT NICE FOR HELP TO COME.

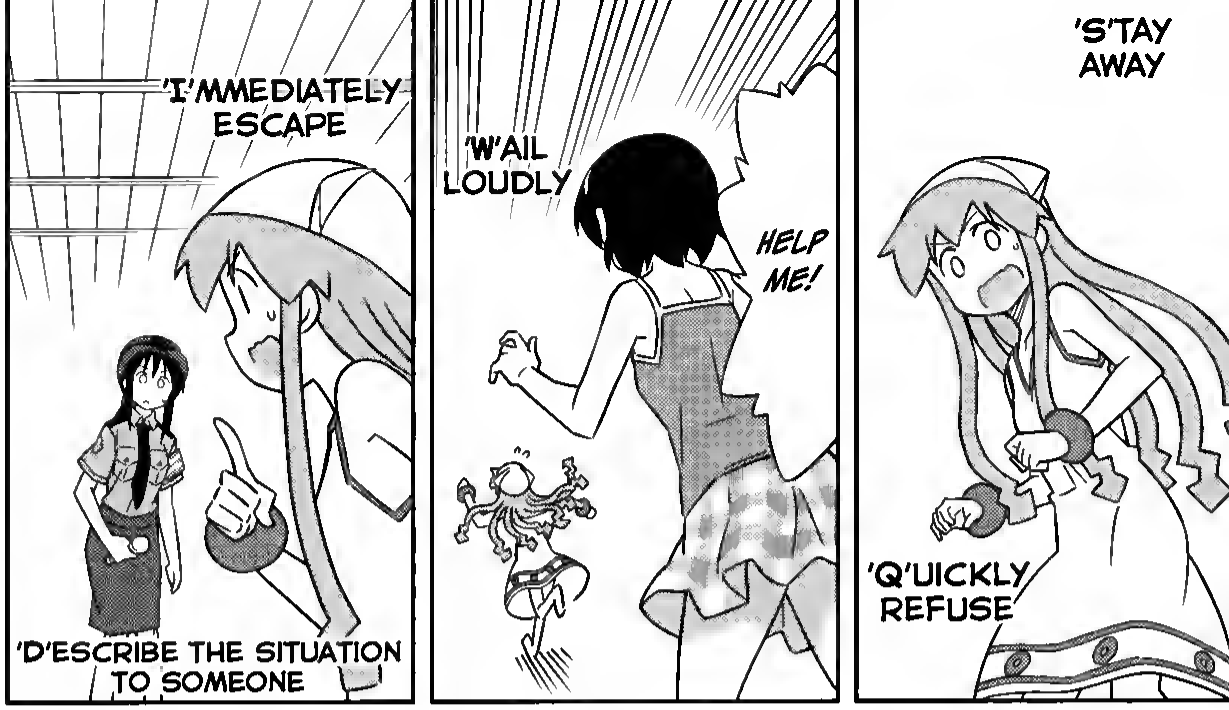

POW
YOU CAN CRY OR SCREAM, BUT YOU CAN'T RUN AWAY FROM MY INVASION!


SANAE!
SO YOU WERE HERE


IKA-CHAN.
Waaah!


STARE...

IT'S GOT TO BE LOVE, RIGHT...?
HOW DID YOU KNOW I WAS HERE?!


'I'MMEDIATELY ESCAPE
'D'ESCRIBE THE SITUATION TO SOMEONE
'W'AIL LOUDLY
HELP ME!
'S'TAY AWAY
'Q'UICKLY REFUSE

CRASH
OKAY, THE SUSPICIOUS PERSON HAS BEEN APPREHENDED!

THIS IS HOW THE ACRONYM "SQWID" WILL PROTECT YOU FROM CRIMINALS AND ALLOW YOU TO ESCAPE!
MAKE SURE TO REMEMBER IT, EVERYONE!
OKAY!
SOMEHOW SHE JOINED IN THE END...
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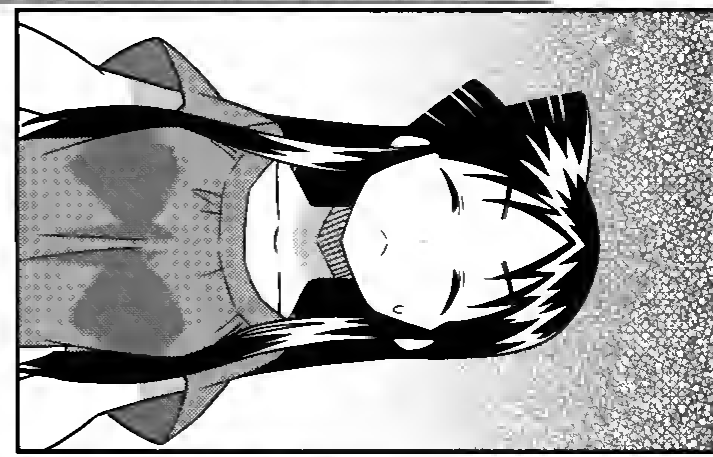

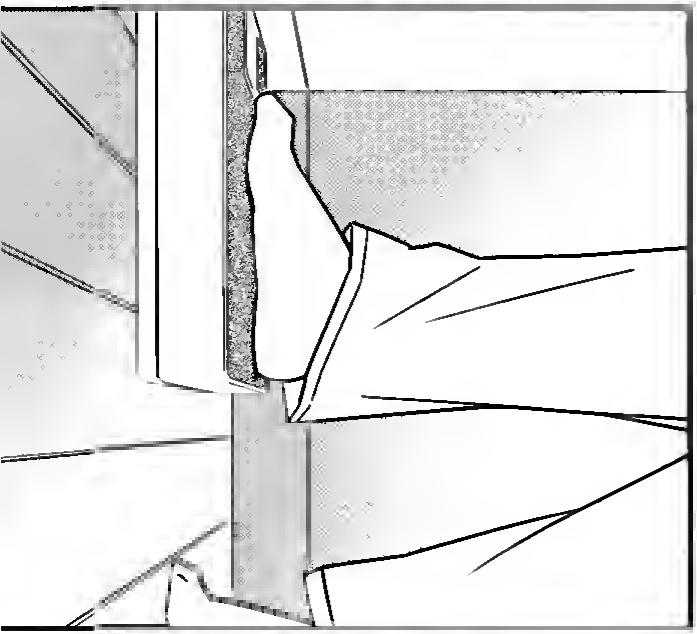

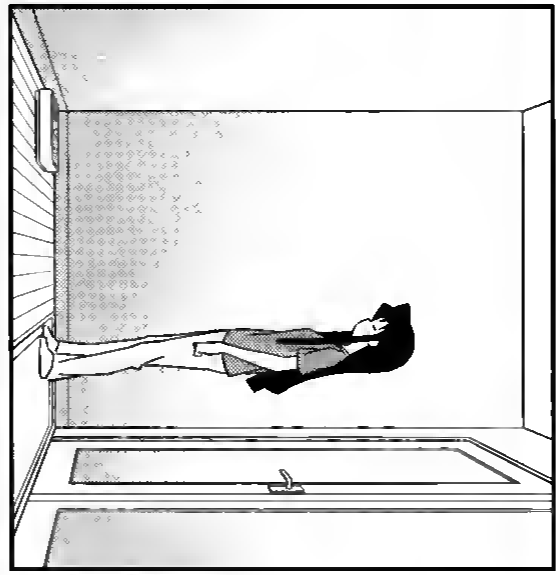

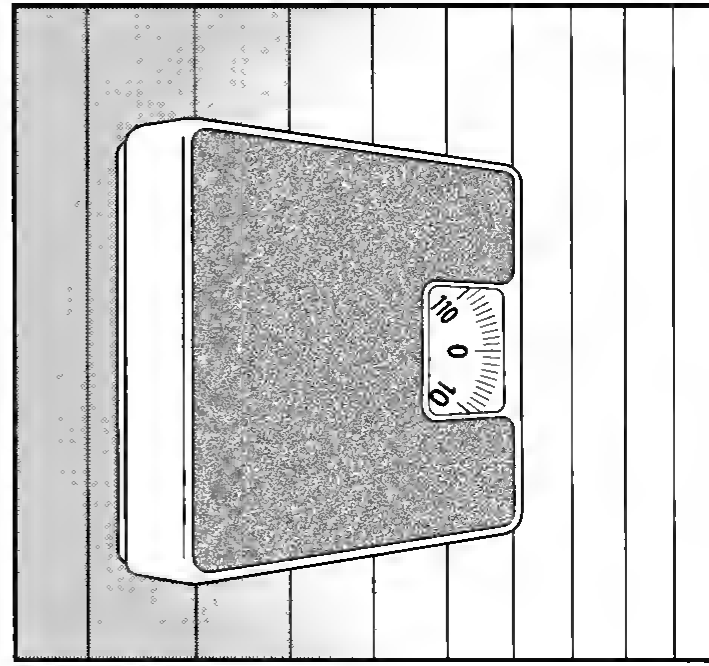
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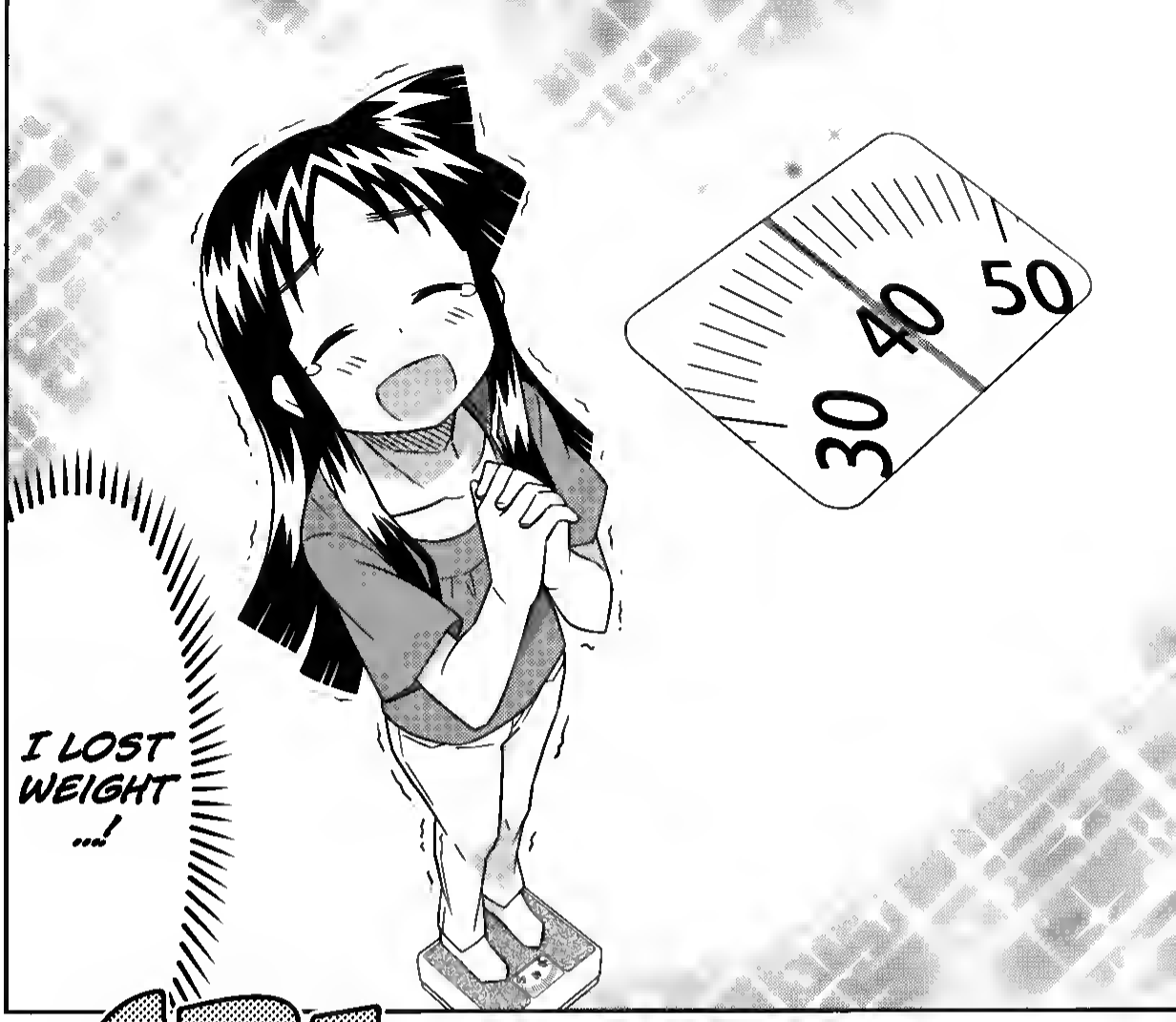
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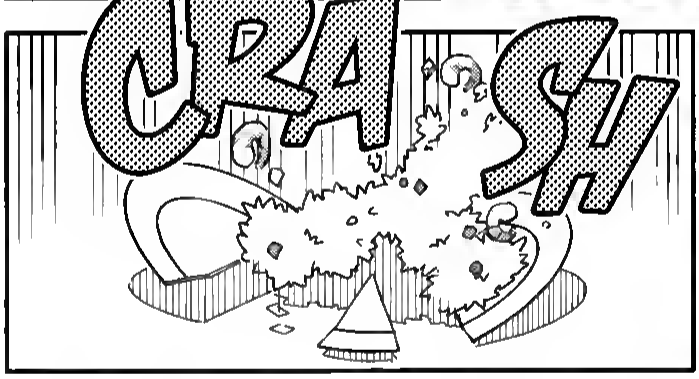
I LOST WEIGHT ...!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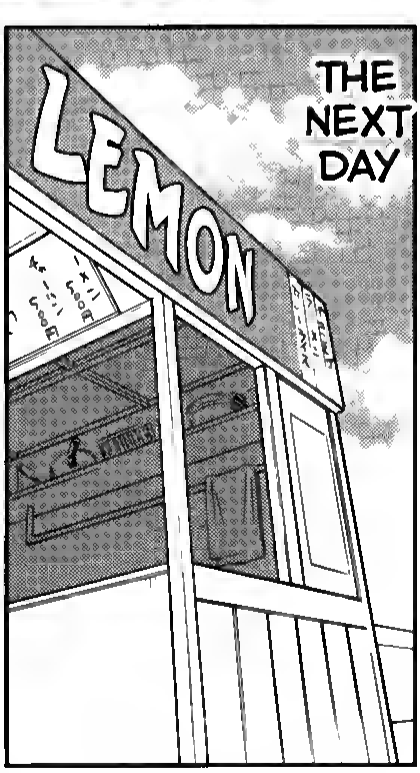
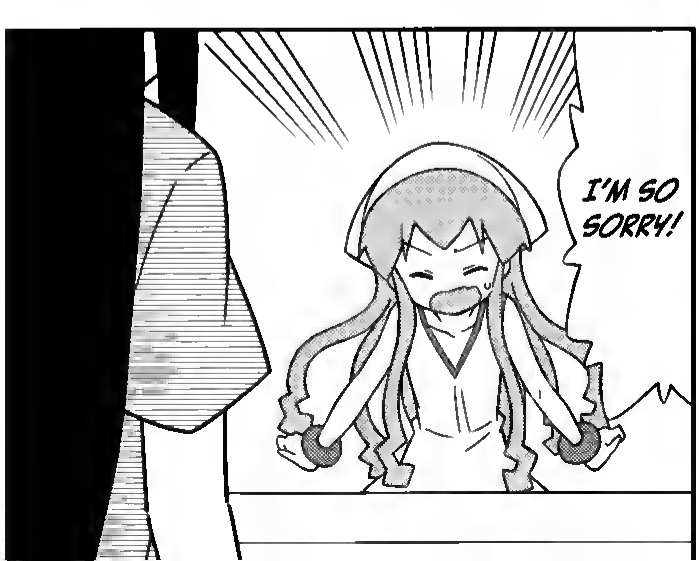
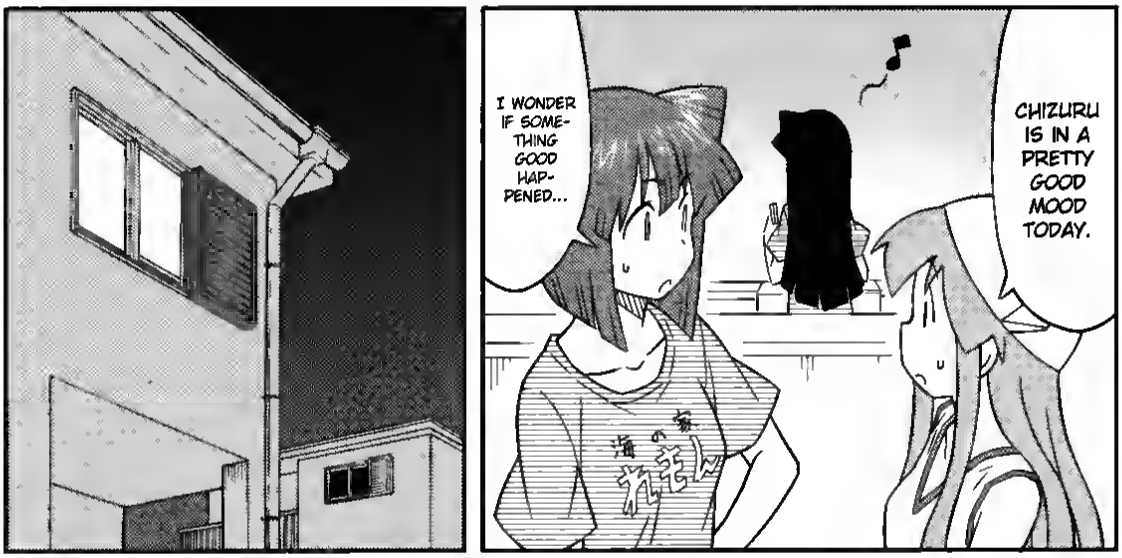
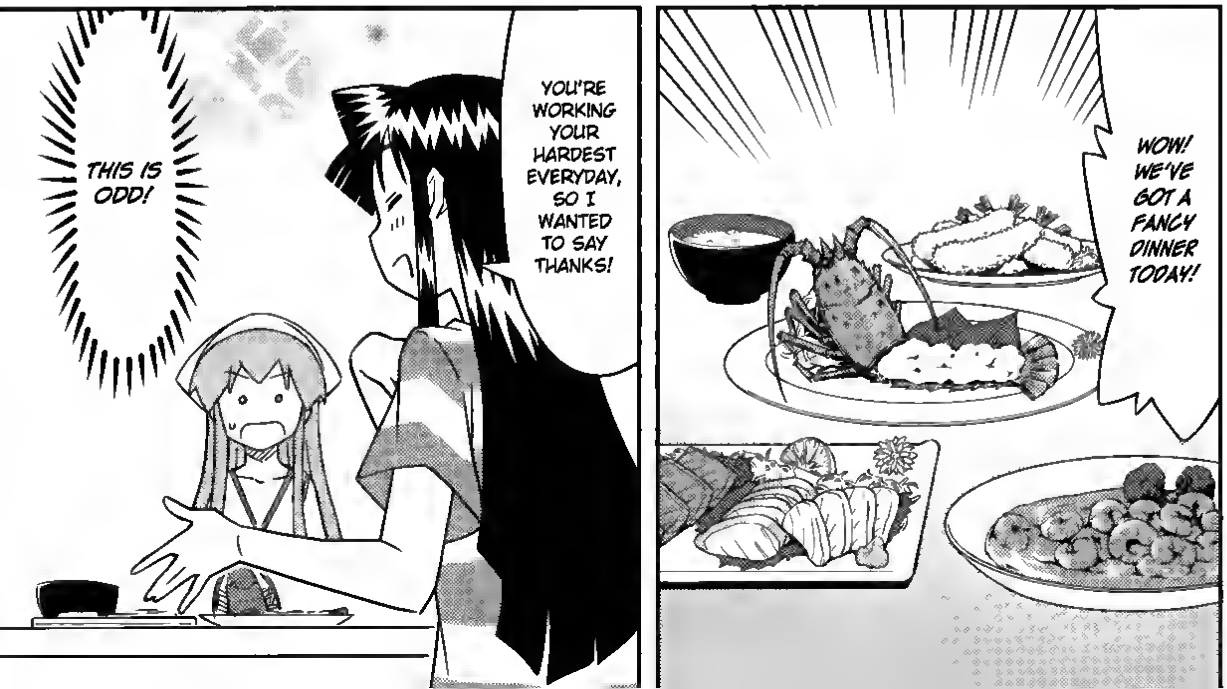
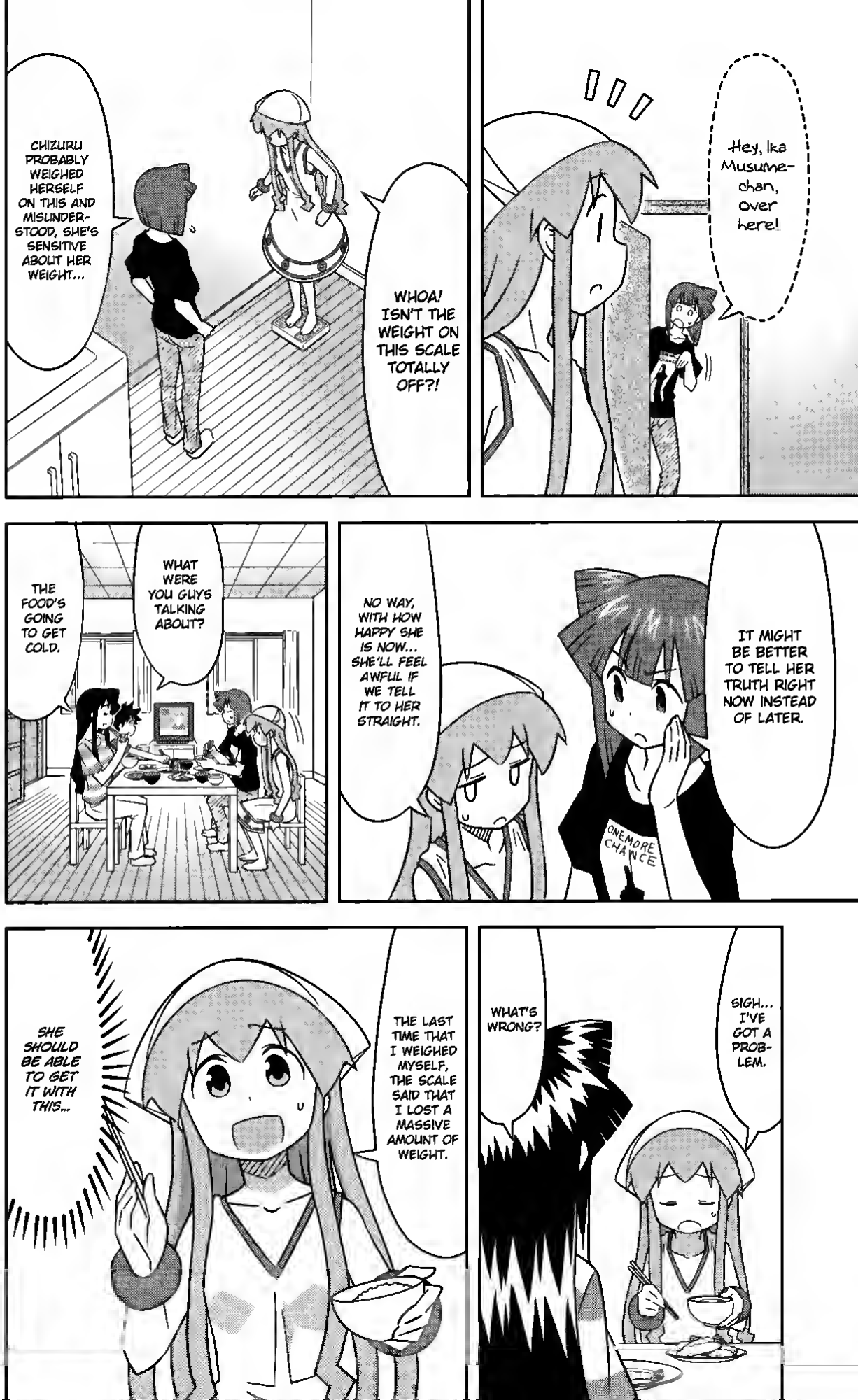

THE NEXT DAY
LEMON


I'M SO SORRY!

O-OKAY...
I'LL RECOOK THE ORDER RIGHT NOW.
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT, EVERYONE MAKES MISTAKES!
MORE IMPORTANTLY, YOU DIDN'T GET HURT, DID YOU? ARE YOU OKAY?

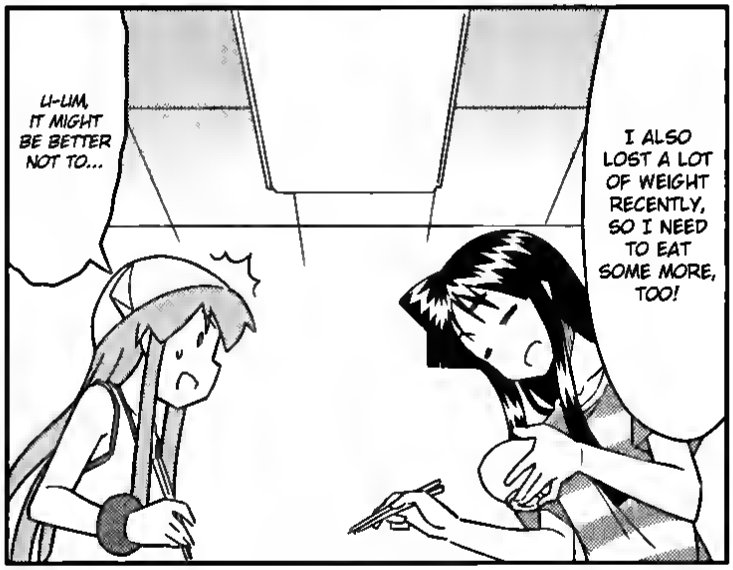

I WONDER IF SOMETHING GOOD HAPPENED...
CHIZURU IS IN A PRETTY GOOD MOOD TODAY.


THIS IS ODD!
YOU'RE WORKING YOUR HARDEST EVERYDAY, SO I WANTED TO SAY THANKS!
WOW! WE'VE GOT A FANCY DINNER TODAY!

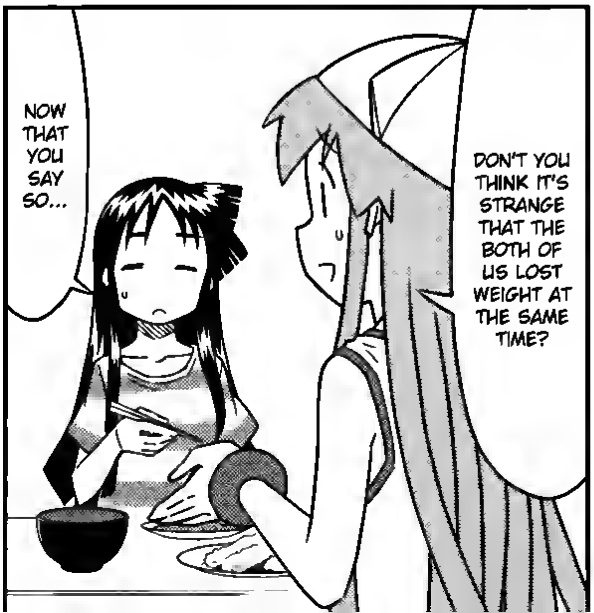

Hey, Ika Musume-chan, over here!
WHOA! ISN'T THE WEIGHT ON THIS SCALE TOTALLY OFF?!
CHIZURU PROBABLY WEIGHED HERSELF ON THIS AND MISUNDERSTOOD, SHE'S SENSITIVE ABOUT HER WEIGHT...
IT MIGHT BE BETTER TO TELL HER TRUTH RIGHT NOW INSTEAD OF LATER.
NO WAY, WITH HOW HAPPY SHE IS NOW... SHE'LL FEEL AWFUL IF WE TELL IT TO HER STRAIGHT.
ONE MORE CHANCE
WHAT WERE YOU GUYS TALKING ABOUT?
THE FOOD'S GOING TO GET COLD.
SIGH... I'VE GOT A PROBLEM.
WHAT'S WRONG?
THE LAST TIME THAT I WEIGHED MYSELF, THE SCALE SAID THAT I LOST A MASSIVE AMOUNT OF WEIGHT.
SHE SHOULD BE ABLE TO GET IT WITH THIS...

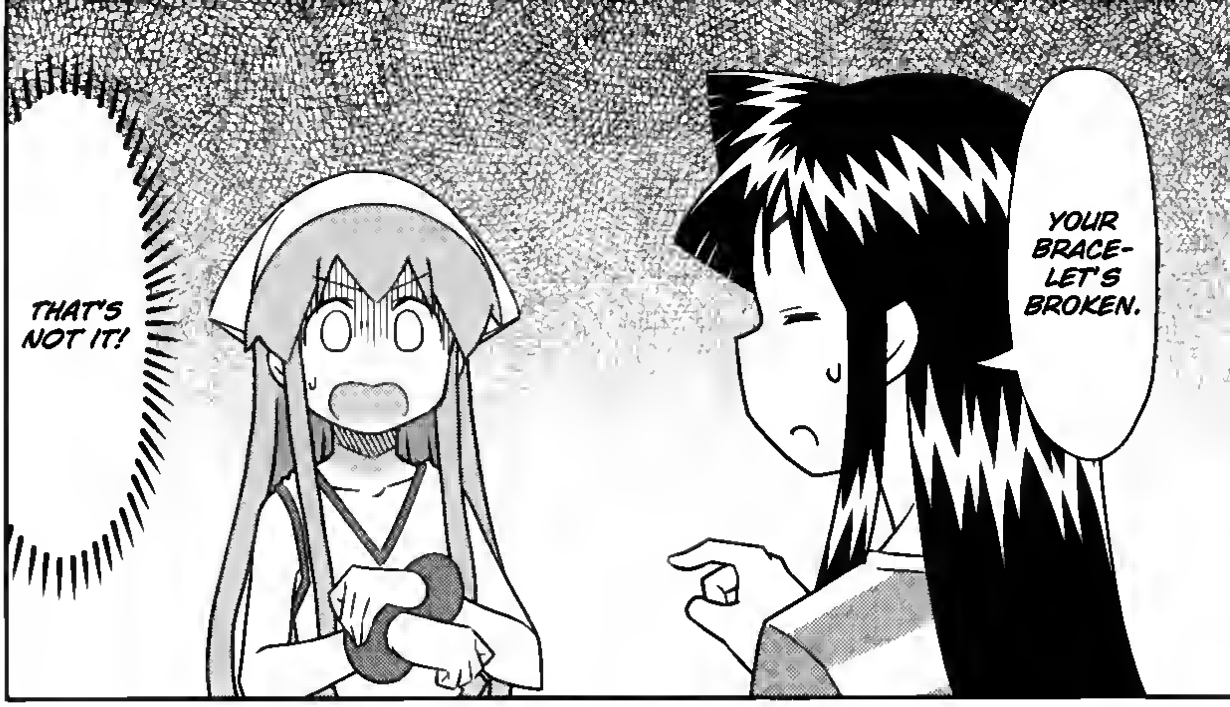
YOU'RE AT AN AGE WHERE YOU'RE STILL GROWING, SO YOU NEED TO KEEP EATING A LOT.
SHE DIDN'T GET IT AT ALL!

HOW COME?
W-WELL, IT'S BE-CAUSE...

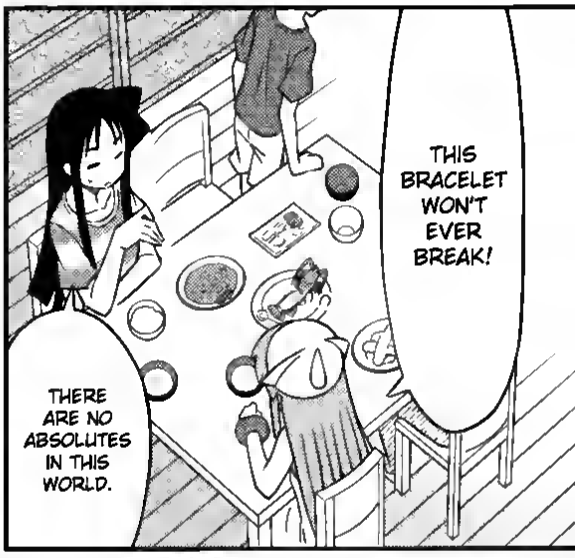

U-UM, IT MIGHT BE BETTER NOT TO...
I ALSO LOST A LOT OF WEIGHT RECENTLY, SO I NEED TO EAT SOME MORE, TOO!

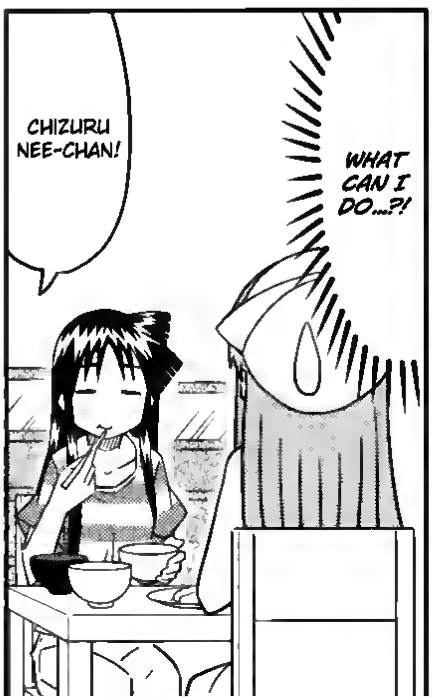
FINALLY, SHE NO-TICED!
OH! I GOT IT!


NOW THAT YOU SAY SO...
DON'T YOU THINK IT'S STRANGE THAT THE BOTH OF US LOST WEIGHT AT THE SAME TIME?


YOUR BRACE-LET'S BROKEN.
THAT'S NOT IT!

THAT KIND OF REASONING IS DEADLY.
YOU'RE THE ONE THAT'S UN-REASON-ABLE!


THIS BRACELET WON'T EVER BREAK!
THERE ARE NO ABSOLUTES IN THIS WORLD.


CHIZURU NEE-CHAN!
WHAT CAN I DO...?!

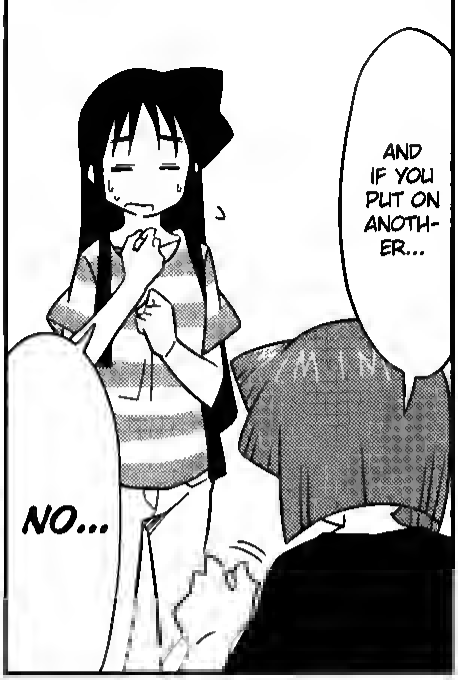
HOWEVER, IF THIS KEEPS GOING ON, IT'LL BE MORE DEVAS-TATING WHEN SHE...
I WANT TO INFORM HER ABOUT IT SOMEHOW, BUT SHE'S COMPLETELY OBLIVIOUS TO ANYTHING IN HER CURRENT MOOD.

THE SCALE IS BROKEN.
GO!
TAKERU!!

T-THAT MEANS THAT YOU'VE LOST WEIGHT, THEN...
CHIZURU.

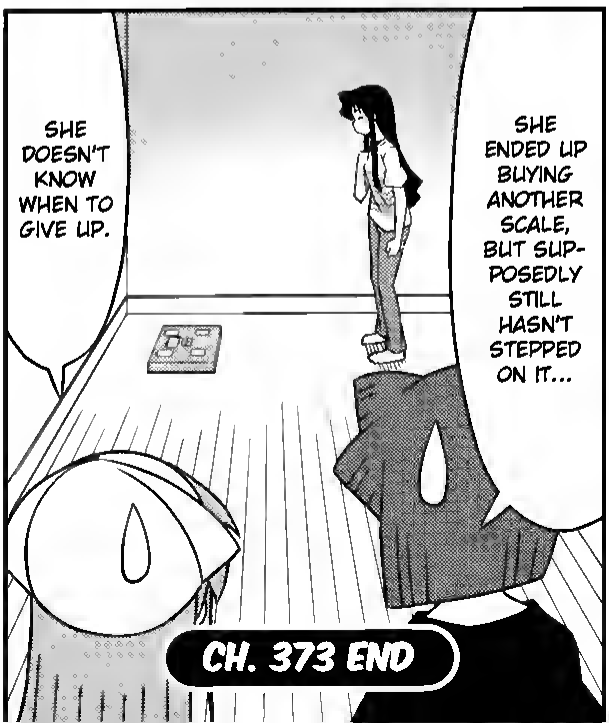
W-WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, IT COULDN'T BE BROKEN.
BUT THERE'S NO WAY I'M AS LIGHT AS IT REPORTS...

THIS IS A 2 LITER BOTTLE.
IT WEIGHS ABOUT 2KG MORE OR LESS.
ONE MORE CHANCE


AND IF YOU PUT ON ANOTH-ER...
NO...

WHEN YOU PUT IT ON THE SCALE...
IT READS OKG...!

AND IF YOU PUT ON ANOTH-ER...
PLEASE, NO MORE!!


SHE DOESN'T KNOW WHEN TO GIVE UP.
SHE ENDED UP BUYING ANOTHER SCALE, BUT SUP-POSEDLY STILL HASN'T STEPPED ON IT...
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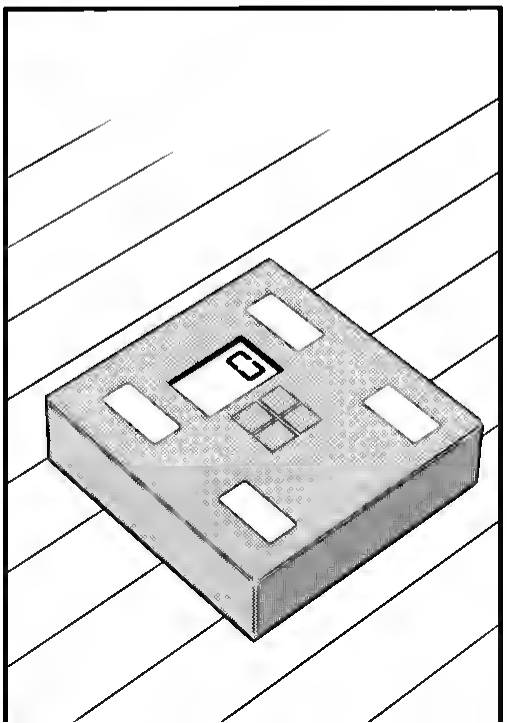
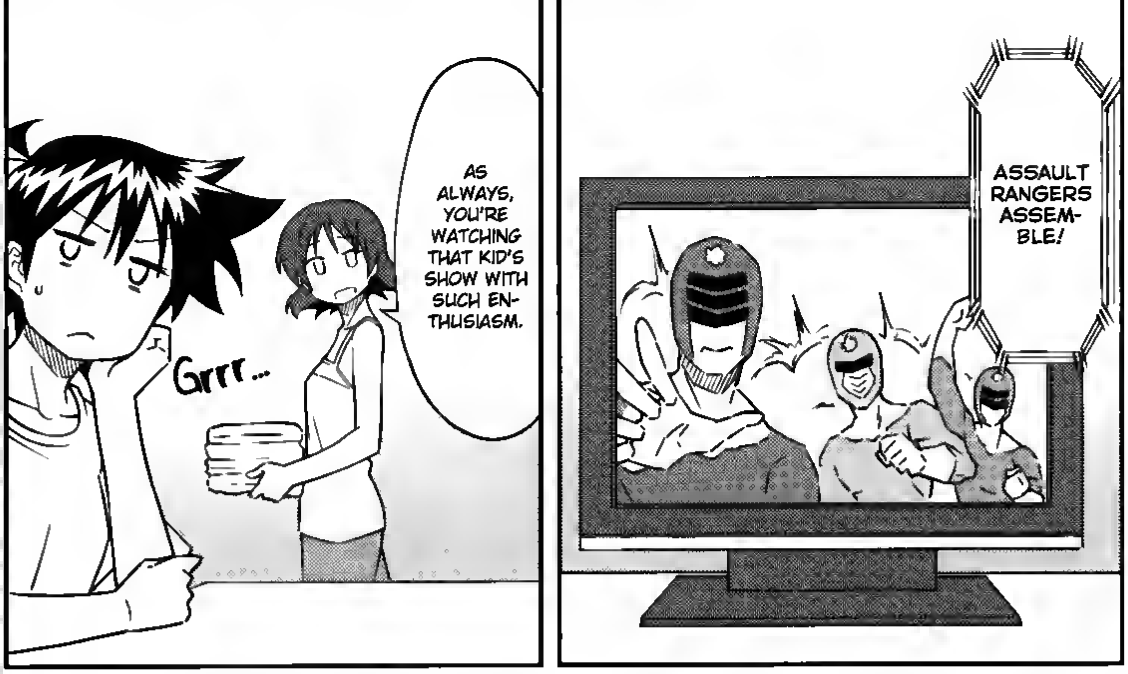
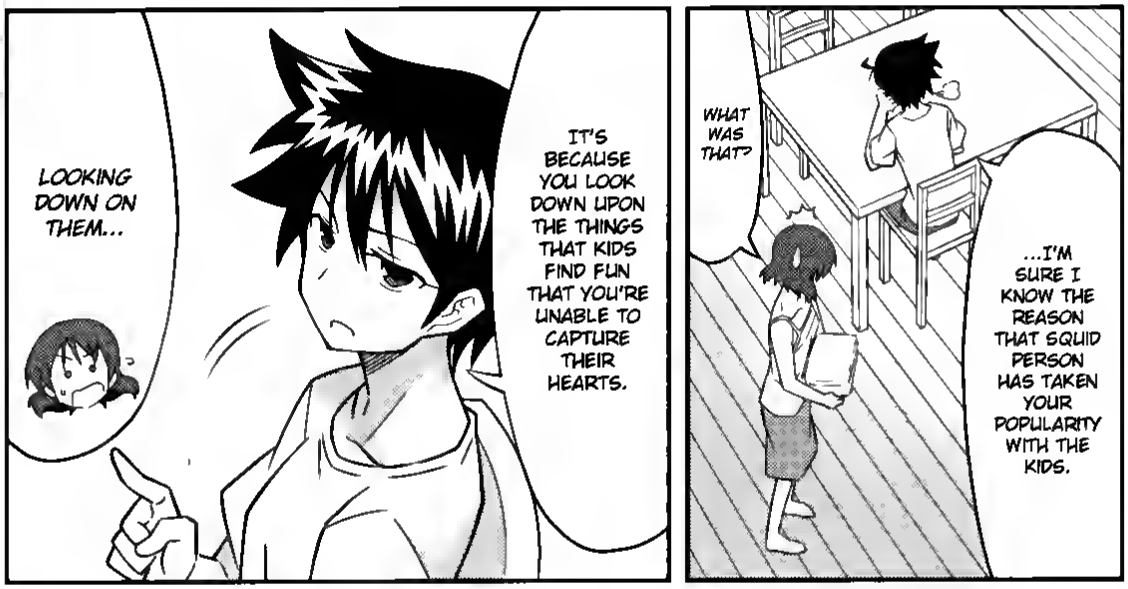


CHAPTER 374: WON'T YOU SEE FROM A KID'S POINT OF VIEW?

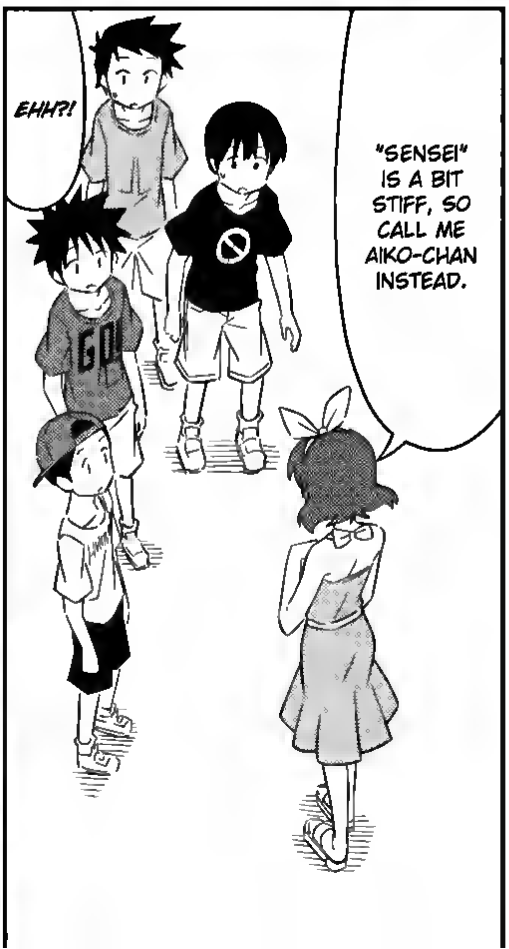



IT'S BECAUSE YOU LOOK DOWN UPON THE THINGS THAT KIDS FIND FUN THAT YOU'RE UNABLE TO CAPTURE THEIR HEARTS.
LOOKING DOWN ON THEM...
WHAT WAS THAT?
...I'M SURE I KNOW THE REASON THAT SQUID PERSON HAS TAKEN YOUR POPULARITY WITH THE KIDS.

THE NEXT DAY
HEY THERE!!
I THINK THAT YOU'D NEVER BE ABLE TO WIN AGAINST THAT SQUID PERSON BECAUSE OF THAT.
ISN'T THAT SQUID PERSON POPULAR BECAUSE SHE'S ABLE TO LOOK UPON THINGS AT THE SAME LEVEL AS THE KIDS?

SENSEI?
I'D LIKE TO JOIN IN, TOO.

WELL, IF YOU SAY THAT...
TODAY I'D LIKE TO INTERACT WITH YOU ALL NOT AS A TEACHER BUT AS YOUR FRIEND.

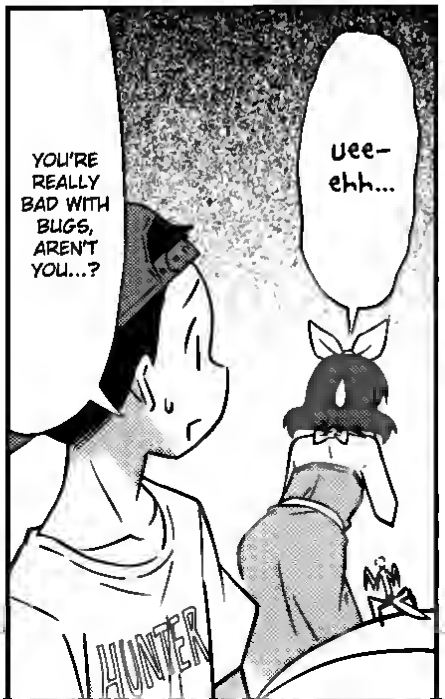

EHH?!
"SENSEI" IS A BIT STIFF, SO CALL ME AIKO-CHAN INSTEAD.

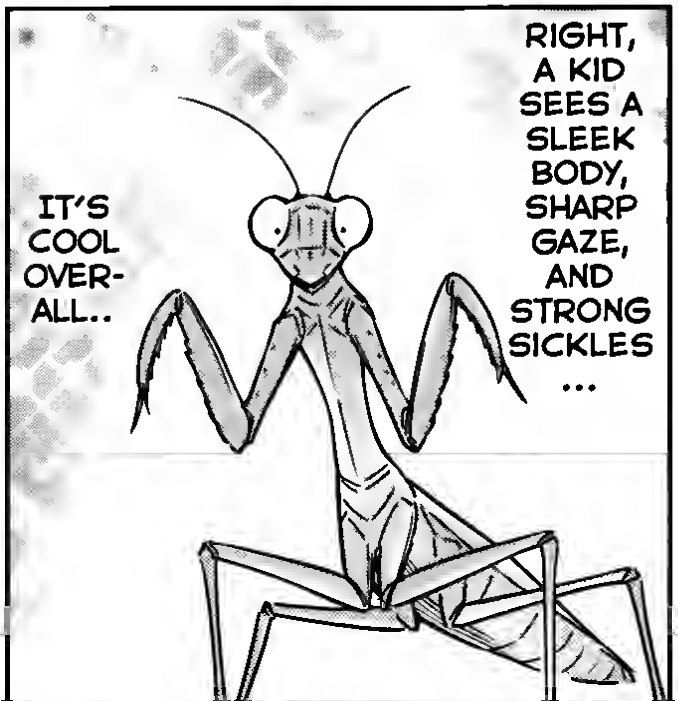
LET'S SEE...
SO THEN, WHERE ARE WE GOING?

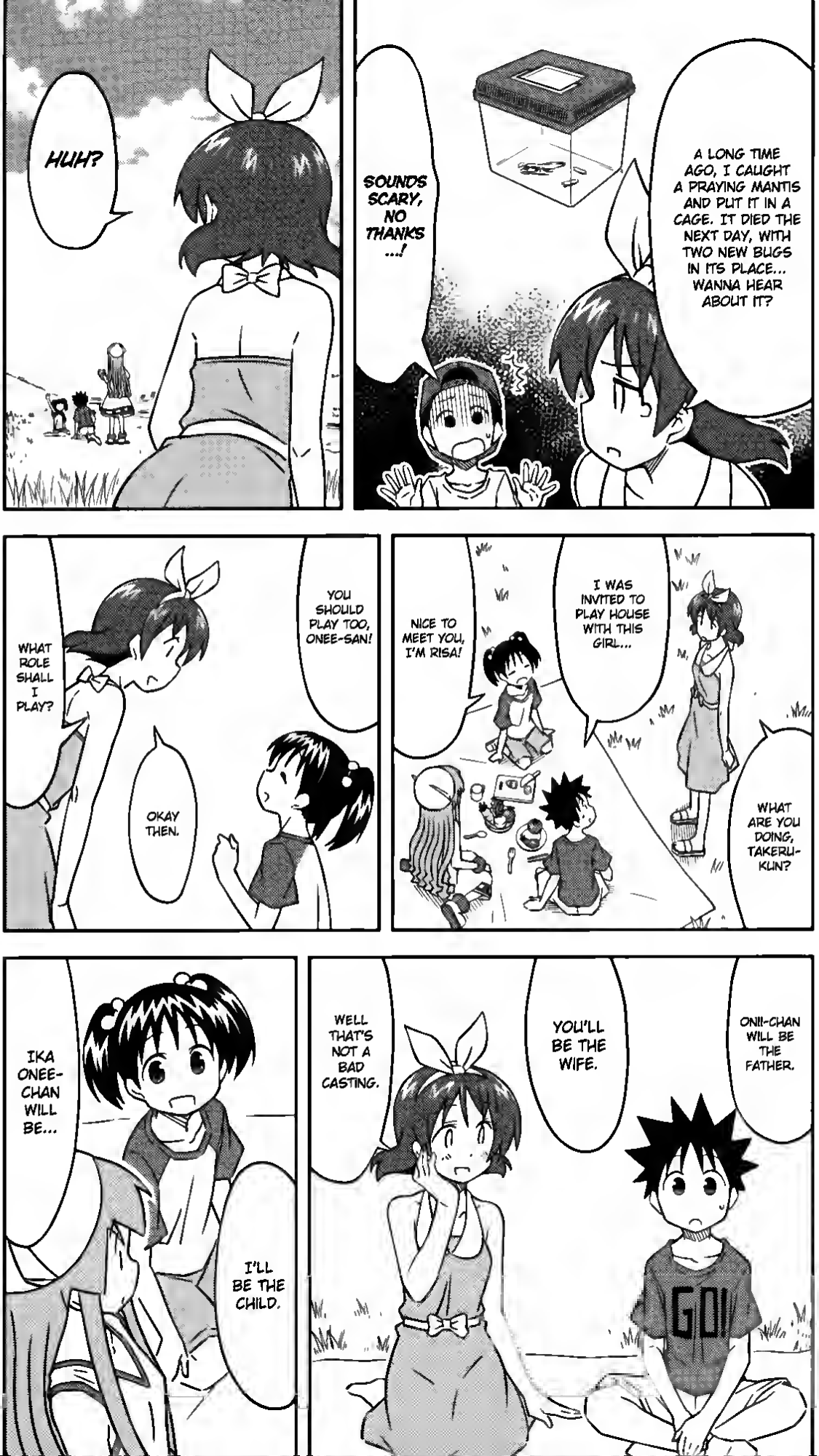
SEN- I MEAN, AIKO-CHAN, IF YOU'RE BAD WITH BUGS, WE COULD STOP.
I'M FINE! THIS IS HOW KIDS REGULARLY PLAY!

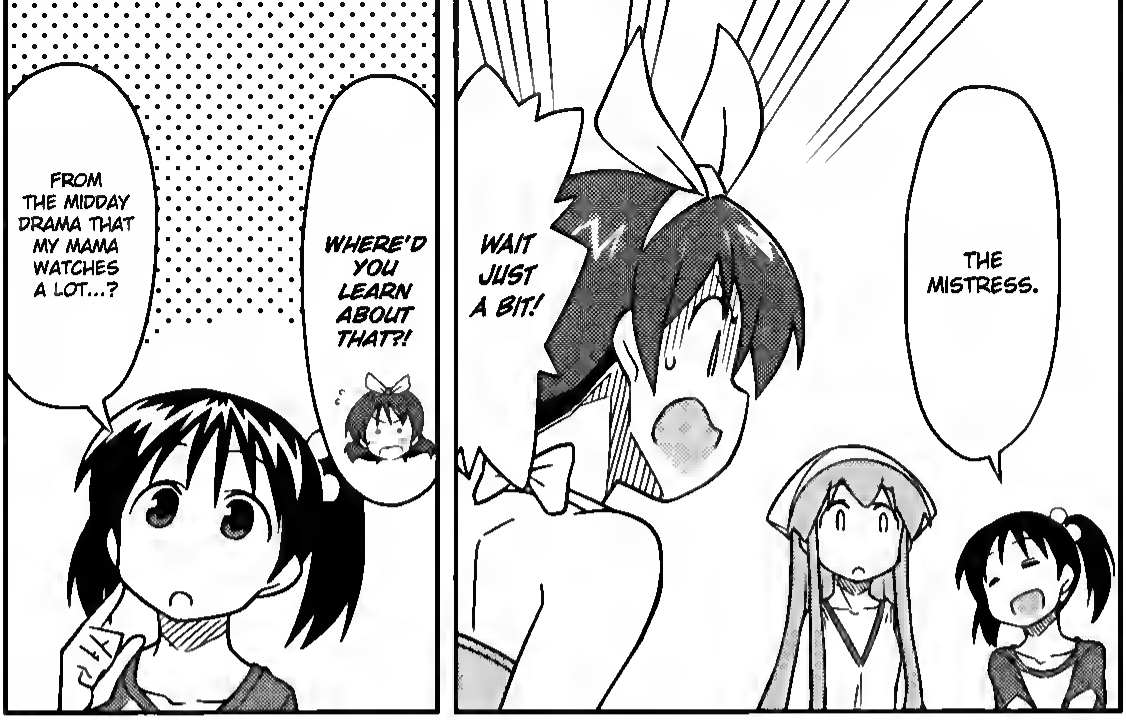
TO GET CLOSER TO THE KIDS, I HAVE TO ALSO UNDER-STAND THE CHARM.
WAIT, SURELY IT MUST LOOK FASCI-NATING FROM A KID'S PERSPEC-TIVE.

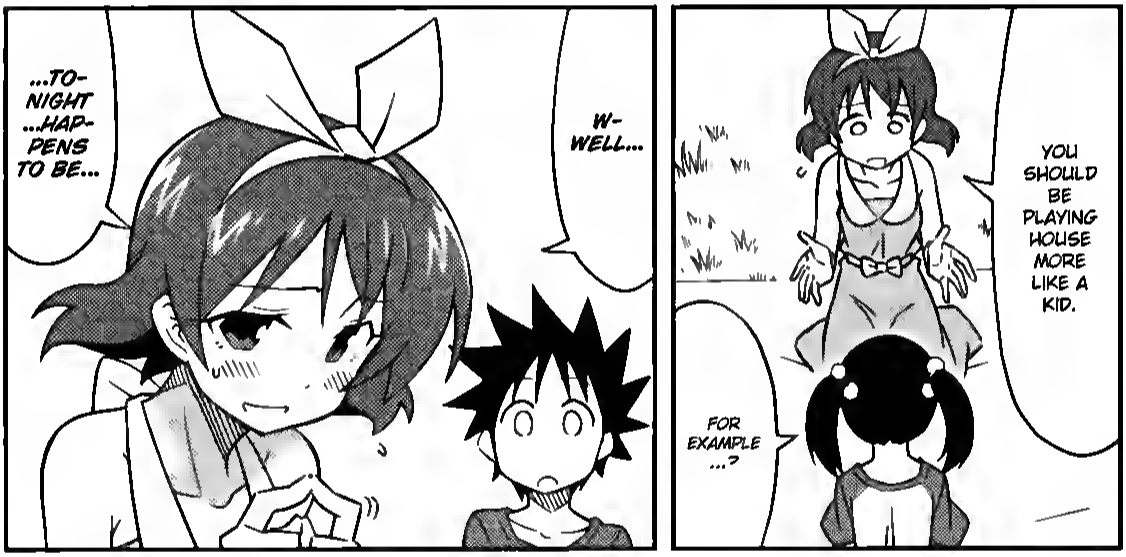
COOL?!
OH, A PRAYING MANTIS! IT'S SO COOL!
HUNTER

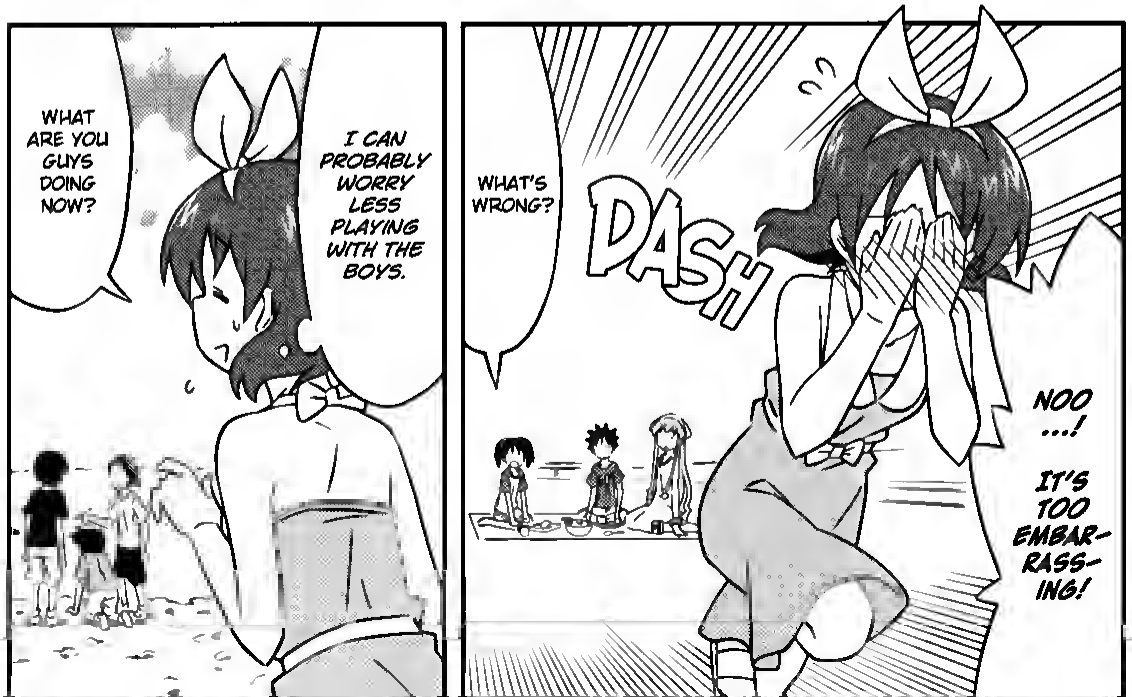

YOU'RE REALLY BAD WITH BUGS, AREN'T YOU...?
UEE- EHH...
HUNTER

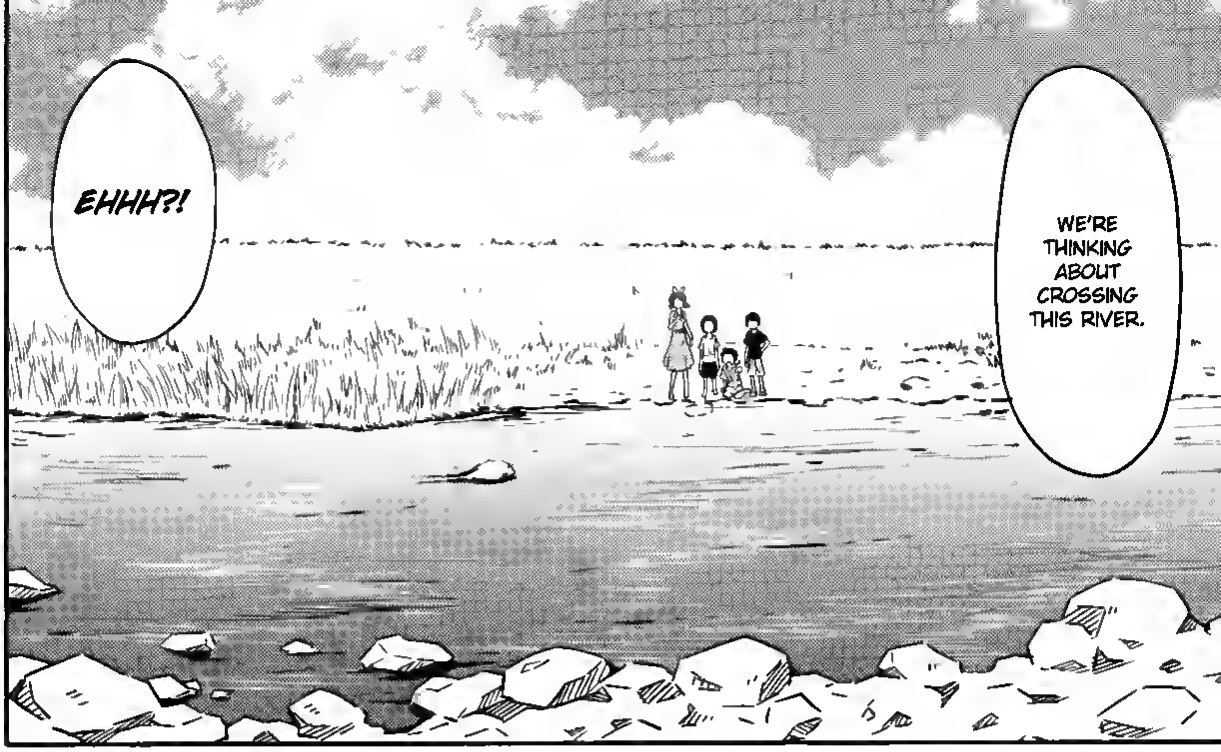

IT'S COOL OVER-ALL..
RIGHT, A KID SEES A SLEEK BODY, SHARP GAZE, AND STRONG SICKLES ...


HUH?
A LONG TIME AGO, I CAUGHT A PRAYING MANTIS AND PUT IT IN A CAGE. IT DIED THE NEXT DAY, WITH TWO NEW BUGS IN ITS PLACE... WANNA HEAR ABOUT IT?
SOUNDS SCARY, NO THANKS ...!
YOU SHOULD PLAY TOO, ONEE-SAN!
WHAT ROLE SHALL I PLAY?
OKAY THEN.
I WAS INVITED TO PLAY HOUSE WITH THIS GIRL...
NICE TO MEET YOU, I'M RISA!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, TAKERU-KUN?
IKA ONEE-CHAN WILL BE...
I'LL BE THE CHILD.
WELL THAT'S NOT A BAD CASTING.
YOU'LL BE THE WIFE.
ONII-CHAN WILL BE THE FATHER.
GO!

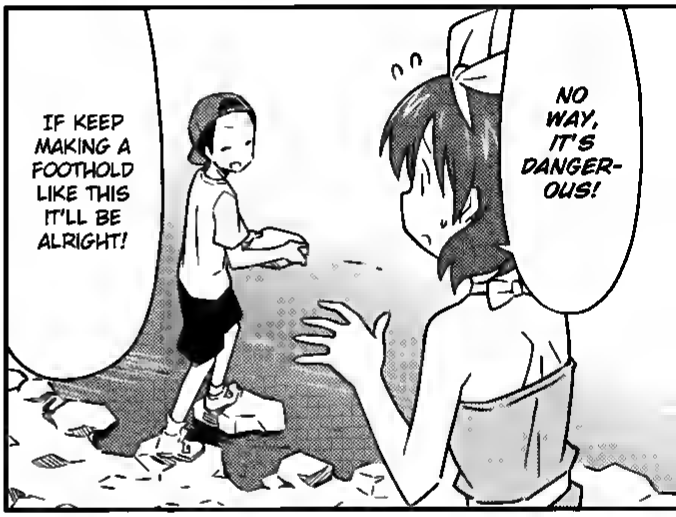

FROM THE MIDDAY DRAMA THAT MY MAMA WATCHES A LOT...?
WHERE'D YOU LEARN ABOUT THAT?!
WAIT JUST A BIT!
THE MISTRESS.


...TO-NIGHT ...HAP-PENS TO BE...
W-WELL...
FOR EXAMPLE ...?
YOU SHOULD BE PLAYING HOUSE MORE LIKE A KID.

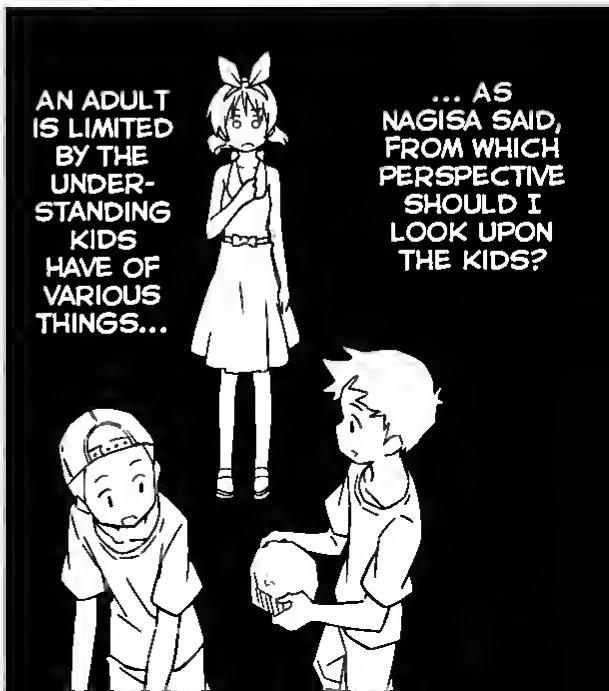

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING NOW?
I CAN PROBABLY WORRY LESS PLAYING WITH THE BOYS.
WHAT'S WRONG?
DASH!
NOO ...! IT'S TOO EMBAR-RASS-ING!


EHHH?!
WE'RE THINKING ABOUT CROSSING THIS RIVER.

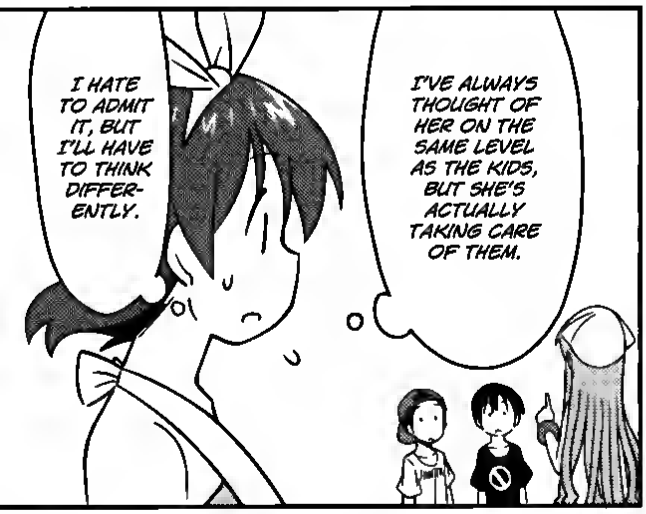
YOU'RE STILL KIDS, SO IF YOU FALL-
WAIT.

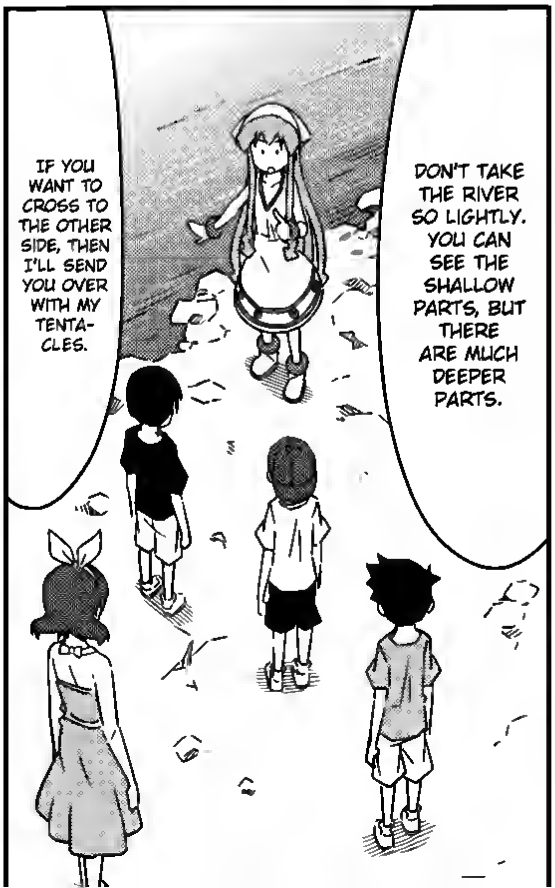

IF KEEP MAKING A FOOTHOLD LIKE THIS IT'LL BE ALRIGHT!
NO WAY, IT'S DANGER-OUS!

I WONDER IF I SHOULD WATCH OVER THEM FROM A KID'S PERSPEC-TIVE.
BUT AS A TEACHER, I AM...!

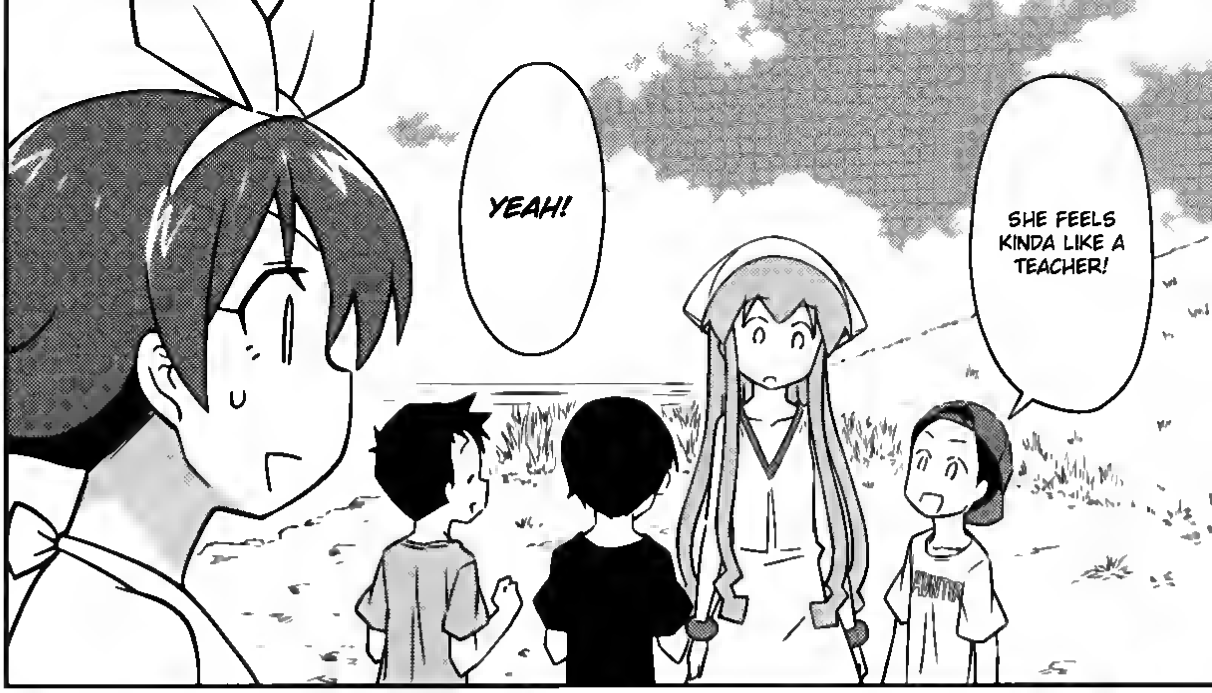

AN ADULT IS LIMITED BY THE UNDER-STANDING KIDS HAVE OF VARIOUS THINGS...
... AS NAGISA SAID, FROM WHICH PERSPECTIVE SHOULD I LOOK UPON THE KIDS?

ZOOM
ISN'T WHAT YOU'RE DOING DANGER-OUS?!


I'VE ALWAYS THOUGHT OF HER ON THE SAME LEVEL AS THE KIDS, BUT SHE'S ACTUALLY TAKING CARE OF THEM.
I HATE TO ADMIT IT, BUT I'LL HAVE TO THINK DIFFER-ENTLY.

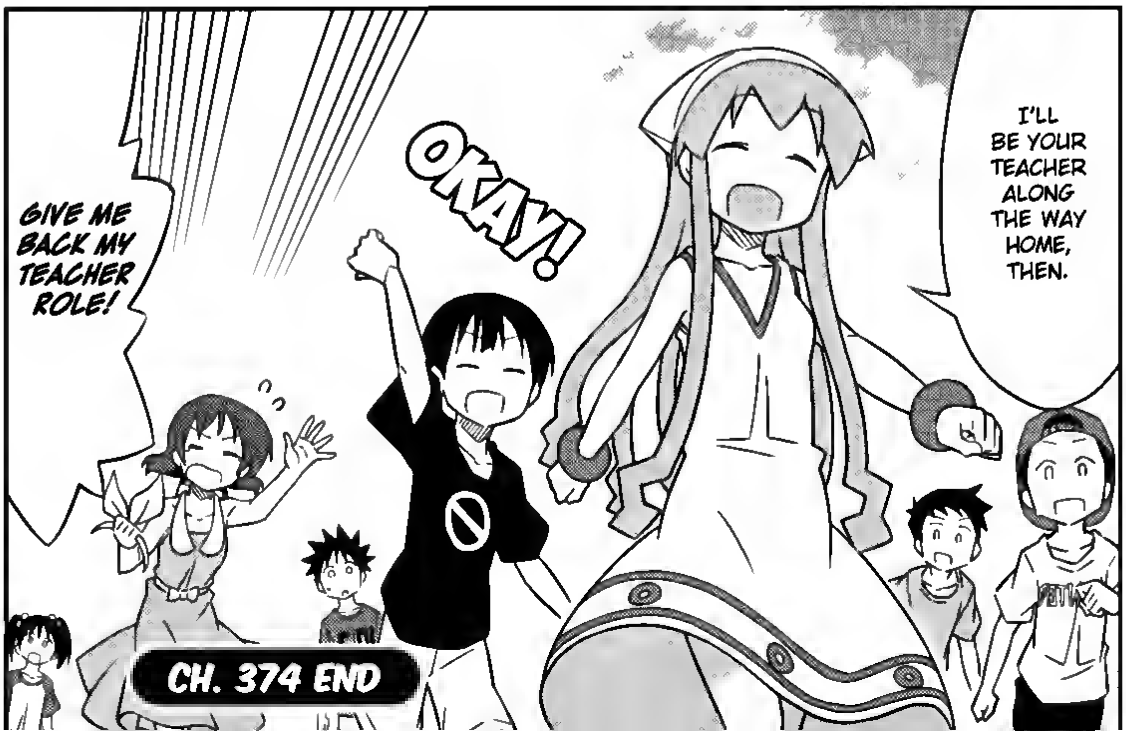

DON'T TAKE THE RIVER SO LIGHTLY. YOU CAN SEE THE SHALLOW PARTS, BUT THERE ARE MUCH DEEPER PARTS.
IF YOU WANT TO CROSS TO THE OTHER SIDE, THEN I'LL SEND YOU OVER WITH MY TENTA-CLES.

IKA NEE-CHAN SURE IS RELIABLE.
RATHER THAN THAT...


SHE FEELS KINDA LIKE A TEACHER!
YEAH!

WHAT'S WRONG, AIKO-CHAN?

WELL, BEING CALLED THAT WAY IS NOT BAD.
W-WAIT!


I'LL BE YOUR TEACHER ALONG THE WAY HOME, THEN.
OKAY!
GIVE ME BACK MY TEACHER ROLE!
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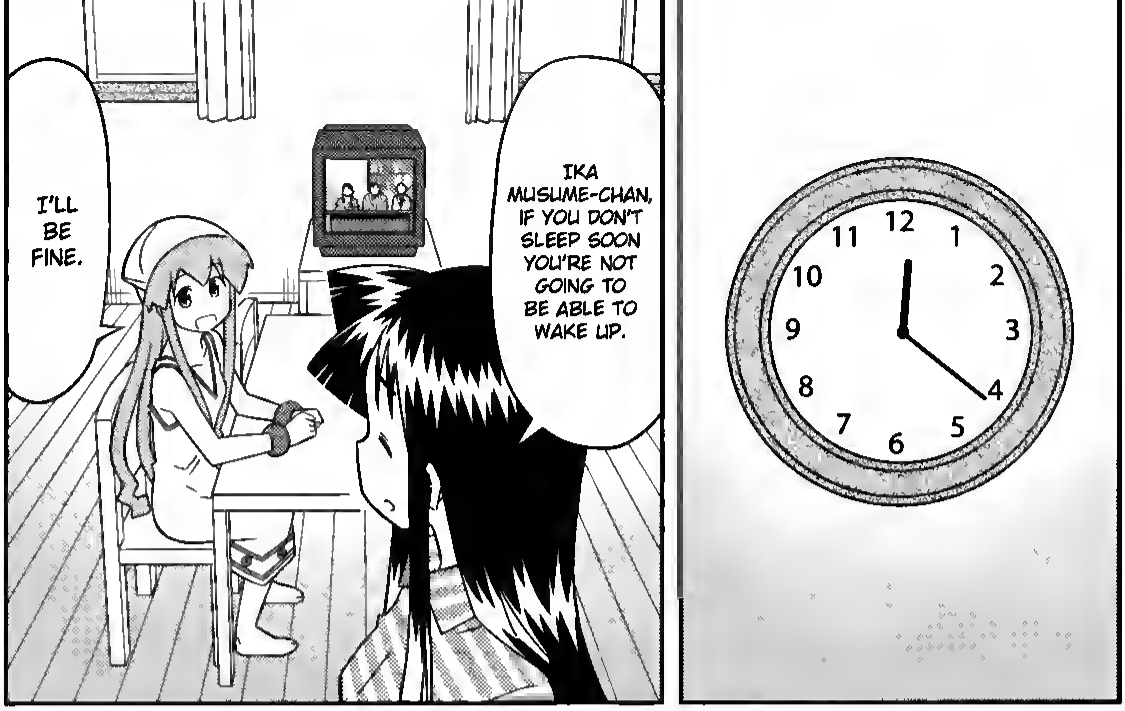
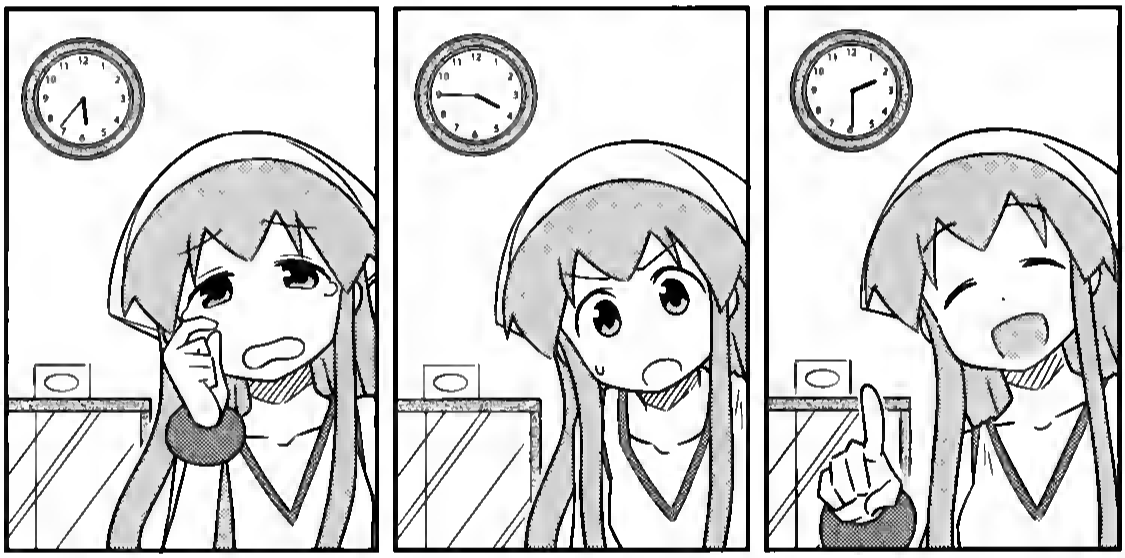
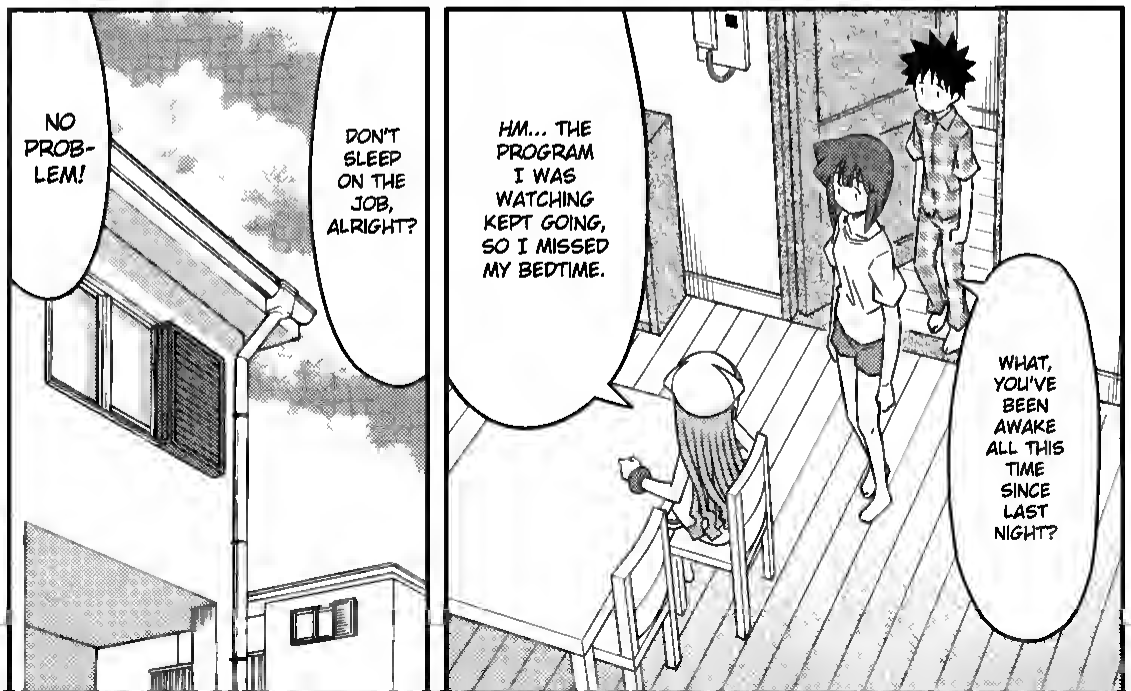
CHAPTER 375: HASN'T DAY AND NIGHT REVERSED?

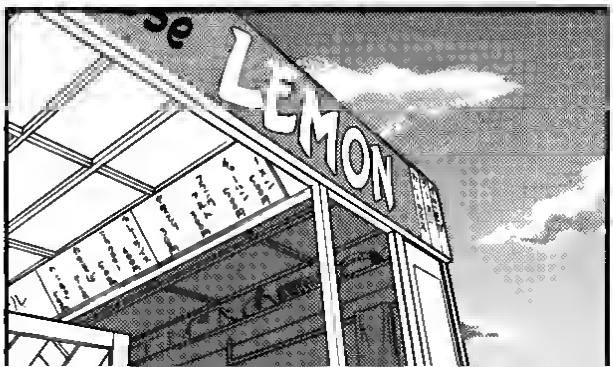


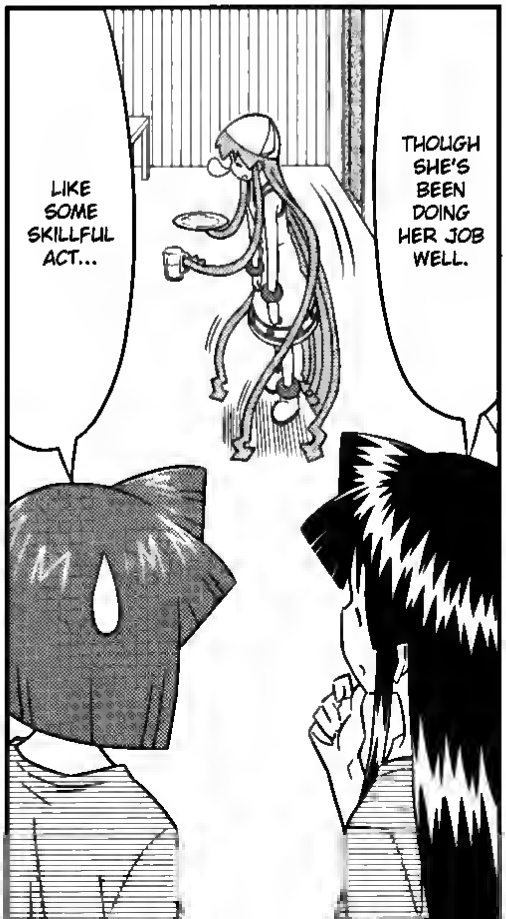



HM... THE PROGRAM I WAS WATCHING KEPT GOING, SO I MISSED MY BEDTIME.
WHAT, YOU'VE BEEN AWAKE ALL THIS TIME SINCE LAST NIGHT?
DON'T SLEEP ON THE JOB, ALRIGHT?
NO PROB-LEM!

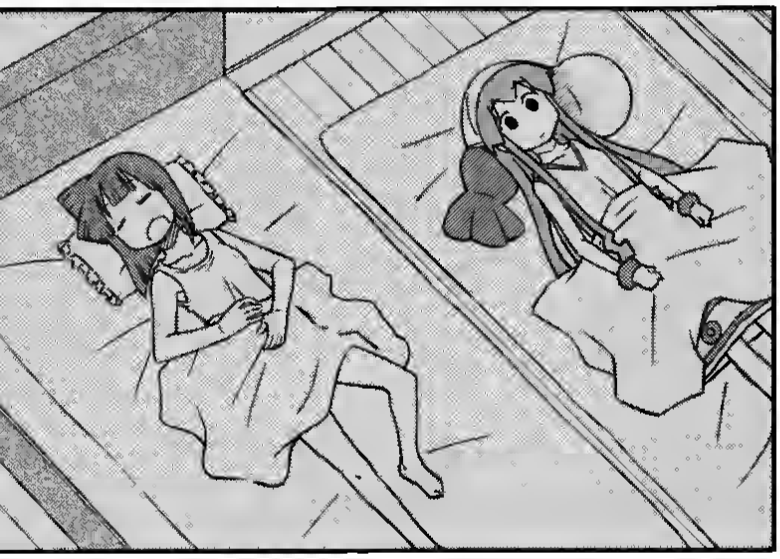
YOU'RE SLEEPING, AREN'T YOU?!
SNORE

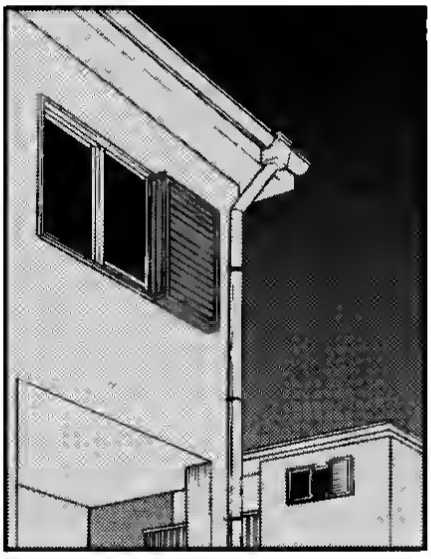
YEAH, IF SHE DOESN'T GO BACK TO NORMAL ...
BUT IT'S RUDE TO BE SERVING THE CUSTO-MERS WHILE SLEEPING.

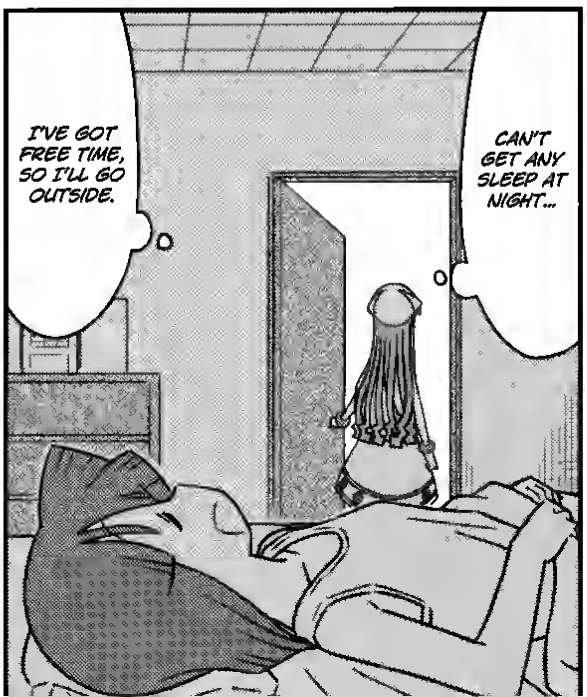

LEMON

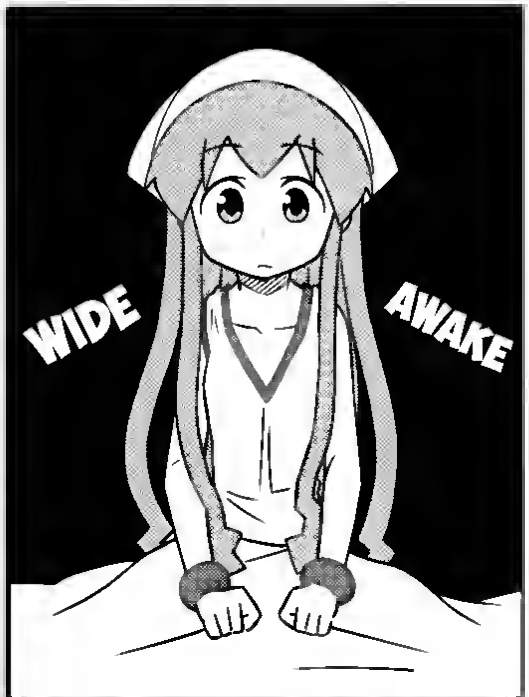

LIKE SOME SKILLFUL ACT...
THOUGH SHE'S BEEN DOING HER JOB WELL.

EH? I WAS WORKINK?
WERE YOU SERIOUSLY SLEEPING DURING WORK?
YOU'RE WAKING UP NOW?!
yawn
GOOD MORNING EVERY-ONE.

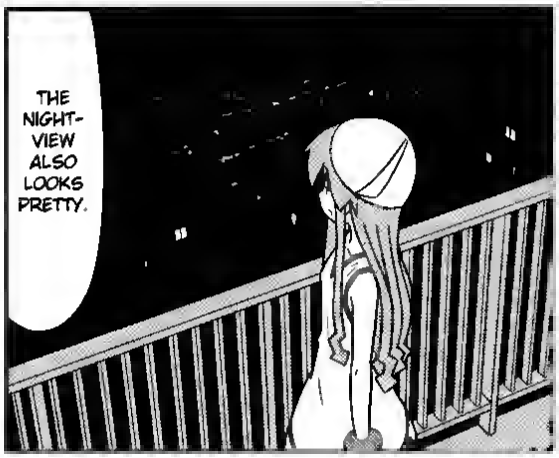




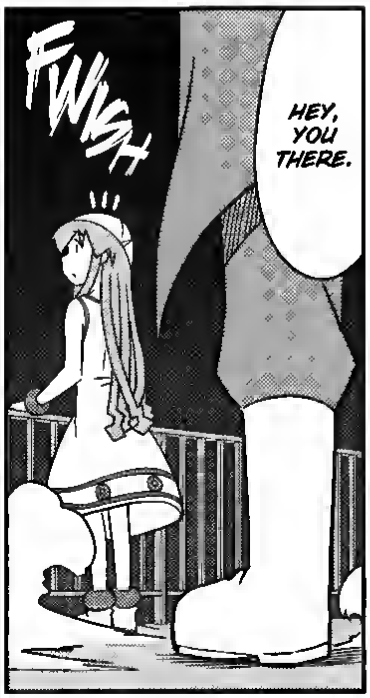

I'VE GOT FREE TIME, SO I'LL GO OUTSIDE.
CAN'T GET ANY SLEEP AT NIGHT...


WIDE AWAKE

IT'S PROBABLY MORE PLEASANT TO TAKE A WALK AT NIGHT.
YOU KNOW, COMPARED TO THE DAYTIME, IT'S NICE AND COOLER OUT AT NIGHT.


THE NIGHT-VIEW ALSO LOOKS PRETTY.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING BY YOURSELF THIS LATE?
EEK!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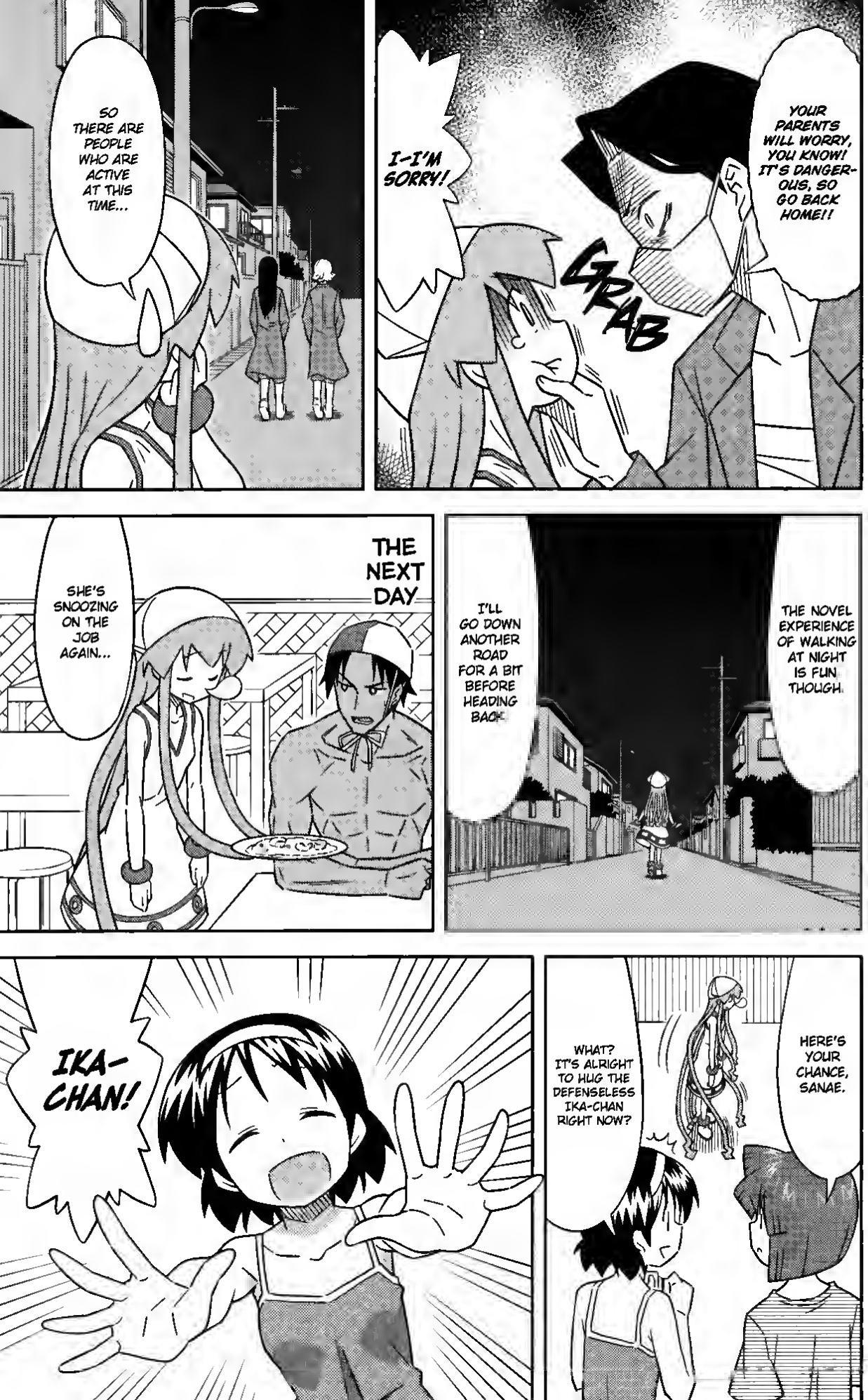
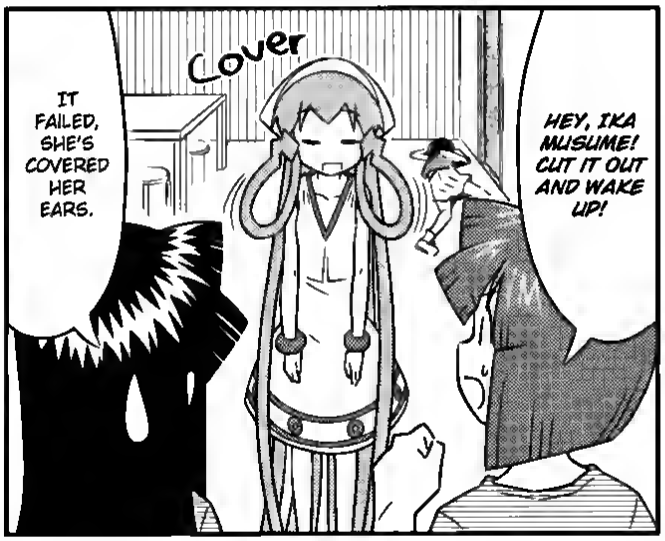
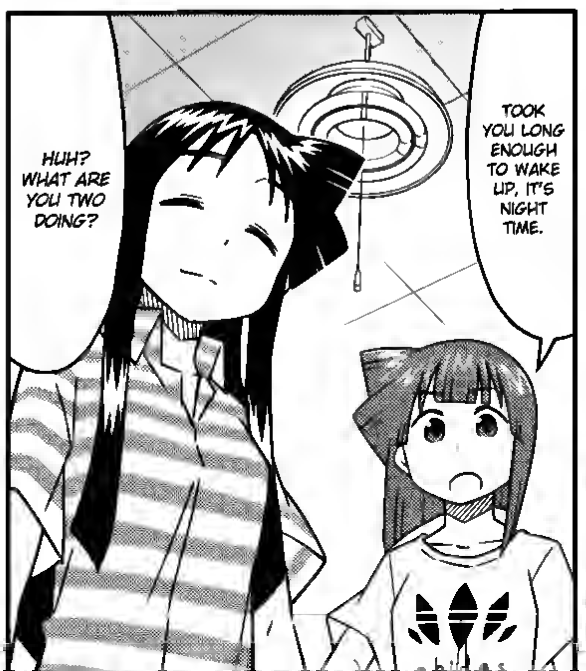
HEY, YOU THERE.


SO THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO ARE ACTIVE AT THIS TIME...
I-I'M SORRY!
GRAB
YOUR PARENTS WILL WORRY, YOU KNOW! IT'S DANGER-OUS, SO GO BACK HOME!!
THE NEXT DAY
SHE'S SNOOZING ON THE JOB AGAIN...
I'LL GO DOWN ANOTHER ROAD FOR A BIT BEFORE HEADING BACK.
THE NOVEL EXPERIENCE OF WALKING AT NIGHT IS FUN THOUGH.
IKA-CHAN!
WHAT? IT'S ALRIGHT TO HUG THE DEFENSELESS IKA-CHAN RIGHT NOW?
HERE'S YOUR CHANCE, SANAE.

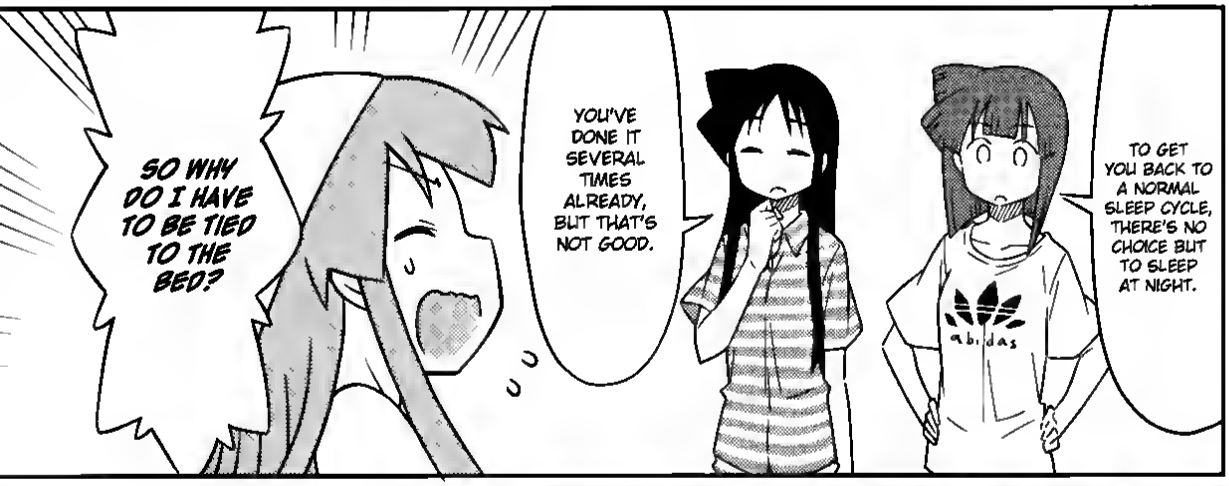
A COUNTER-ATTACK WHILE ASLEEP...!
SLAP

LEMON
IF WE CAN'T WAKE HER UP, THEN...

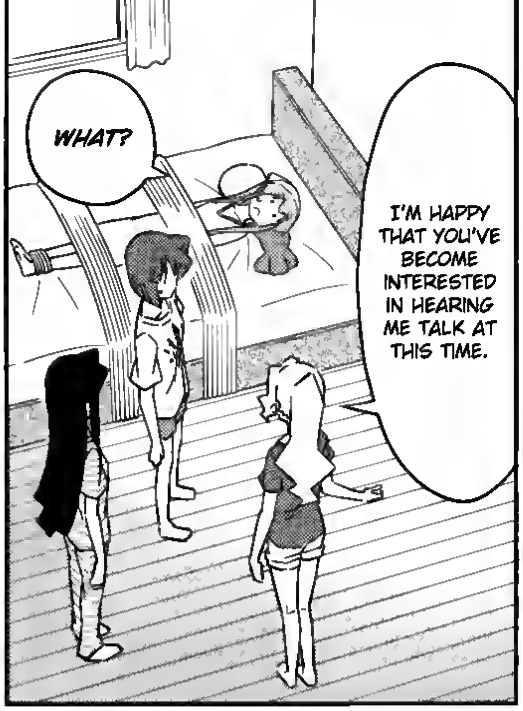

Cover
IT FAILED, SHE'S COVERED HER EARS.
HEY, IKA MUSUME! CUT IT OUT AND WAKE UP!


HUH? WHAT ARE YOU TWO DOING?
TOOK YOU LONG ENOUGH TO WAKE UP, IT'S NIGHT TIME.

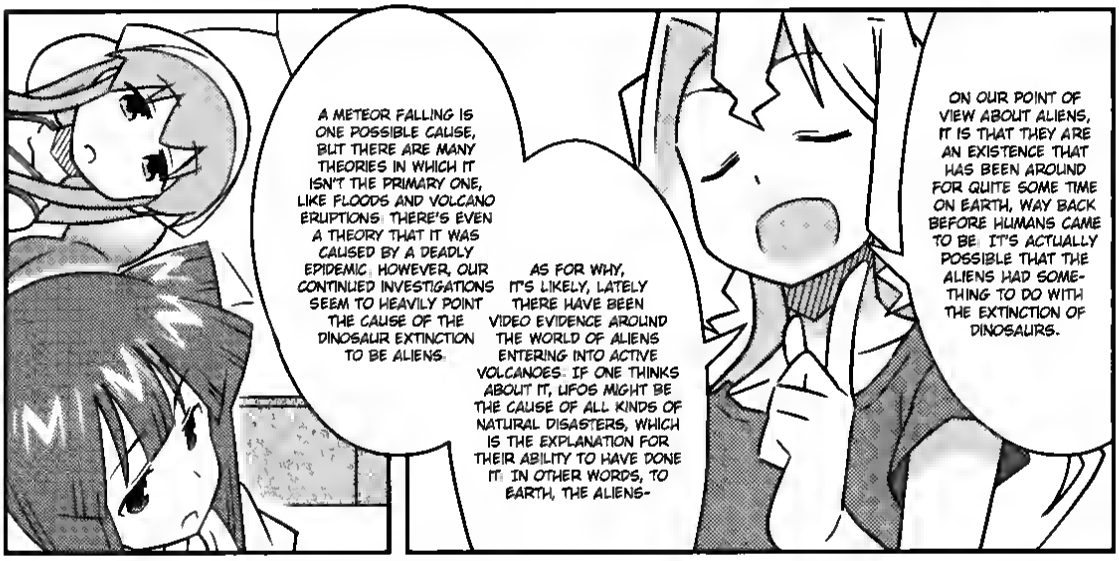
WHAT DID YOU DO TO ME?!
IT WAS DIFFICULT TO TIE UP IKA MUSUME-CHAN'S TENTACLES...


SO WHY DO I HAVE TO BE TIED TO THE BED?
YOU'VE DONE IT SEVERAL TIMES ALREADY, BUT THAT'S NOT GOOD.
TO GET YOU BACK TO A NORMAL SLEEP CYCLE, THERE'S NO CHOICE BUT TO SLEEP AT NIGHT.

DON'T WORRY, WE'VE CALLED IN SOMEONE TO HELP.
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE, I JUST WOKE UP.
NOW SLEEP UNTIL MORNING.

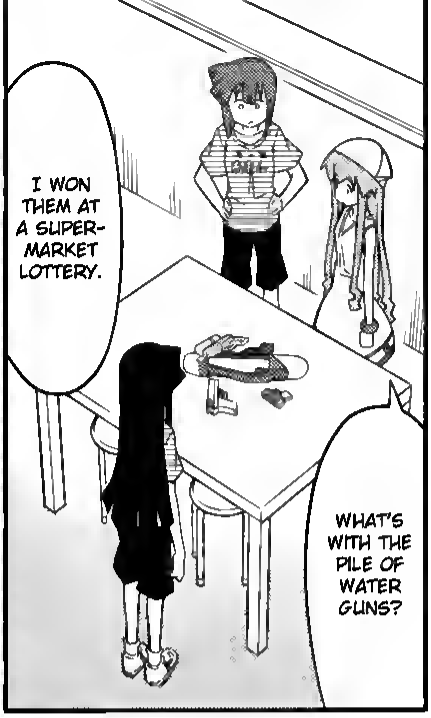

WHAT?
I'M HAPPY THAT YOU'VE BECOME INTERESTED IN HEARING ME TALK AT THIS TIME.

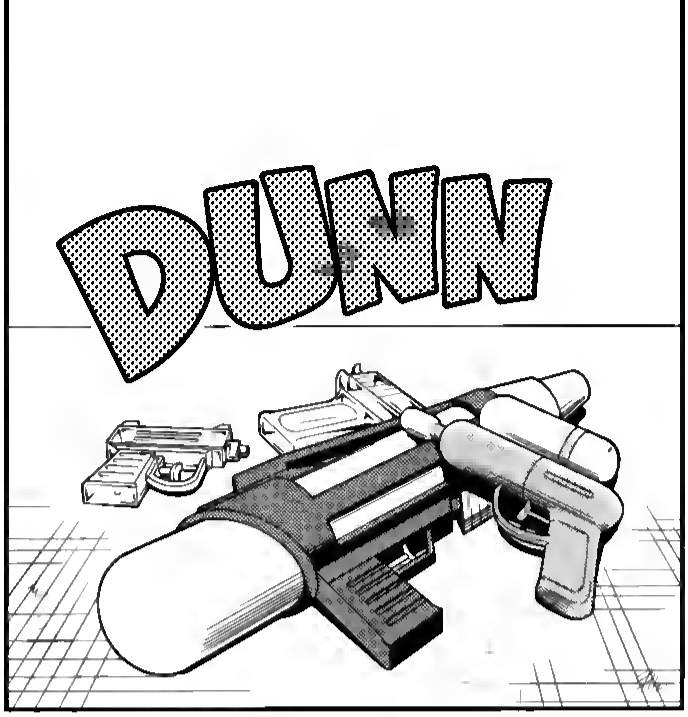
CINDY!
GOOD EVENING.

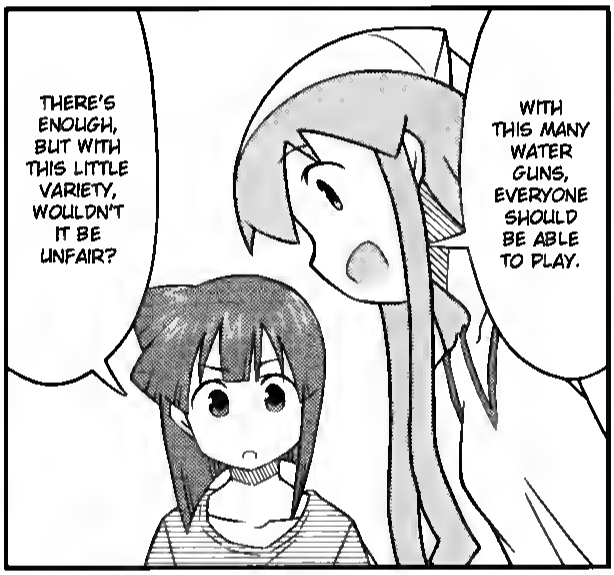

A METEOR FALLING IS ONE POSSIBLE CAUSE, BUT THERE ARE MANY THEORIES IN WHICH IT ISN'T THE PRIMARY ONE, LIKE FLOODS AND VOLCANO ERUPTIONS. THERE'S EVEN A THEORY THAT IT WAS CAUSED BY A DEADLY EPIDEMIC. HOWEVER, OUR CONTINUED INVESTIGATIONS SEEM TO HEAVILY POINT THE CAUSE OF THE DINOSAUR EXTINCTION TO BE ALIENS.
AS FOR WHY, IT'S LIKELY, LATELY THERE HAVE BEEN VIDEO EVIDENCE AROUND THE WORLD OF ALIENS ENTERING INTO ACTIVE VOLCANOES. IF ONE THINKS ABOUT IT, UFOS MIGHT BE THE CAUSE OF ALL KINDS OF NATURAL DISASTERS, WHICH IS THE EXPLANATION FOR THEIR ABILITY TO HAVE DONE IT. IN OTHER WORDS, TO EARTH, THE ALIENS-
ON OUR POINT OF VIEW ABOUT ALIENS, IT IS THAT THEY ARE AN EXISTENCE THAT HAS BEEN AROUND FOR QUITE SOME TIME ON EARTH, WAY BACK BEFORE HUMANS CAME TO BE. IT'S ACTUALLY POSSIBLE THAT THE ALIENS HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH THE EXTINCTION OF DINOSAURS.

THE CYCLE WENT BACK TO NORMAL THAT DAY.
HEY, NO ONE'S LISTENING!
ZZZZ...
CH. 375 END

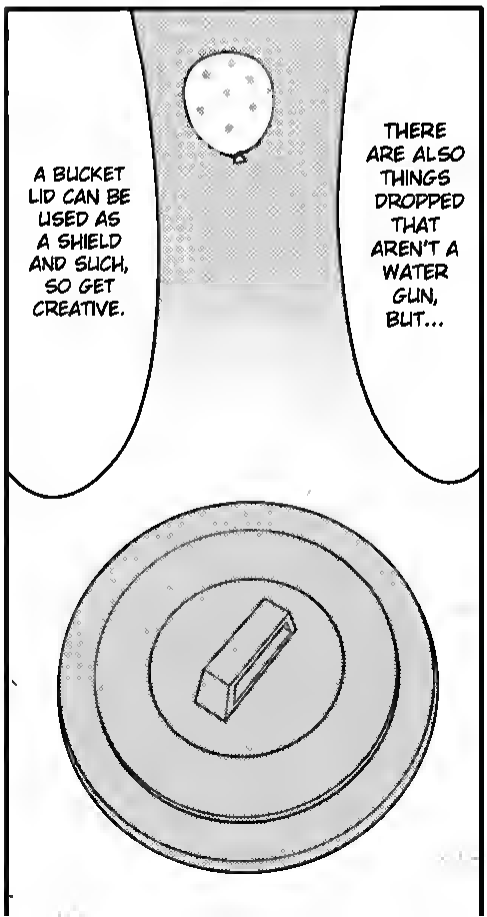
CHAPTER 376: HOW ABOUT A WATER GUN BATTLE?

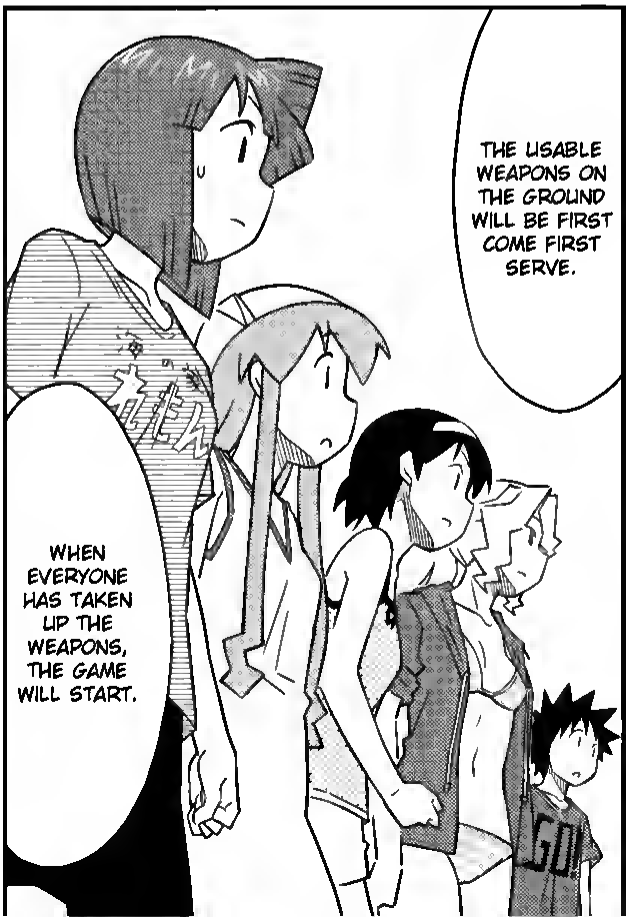


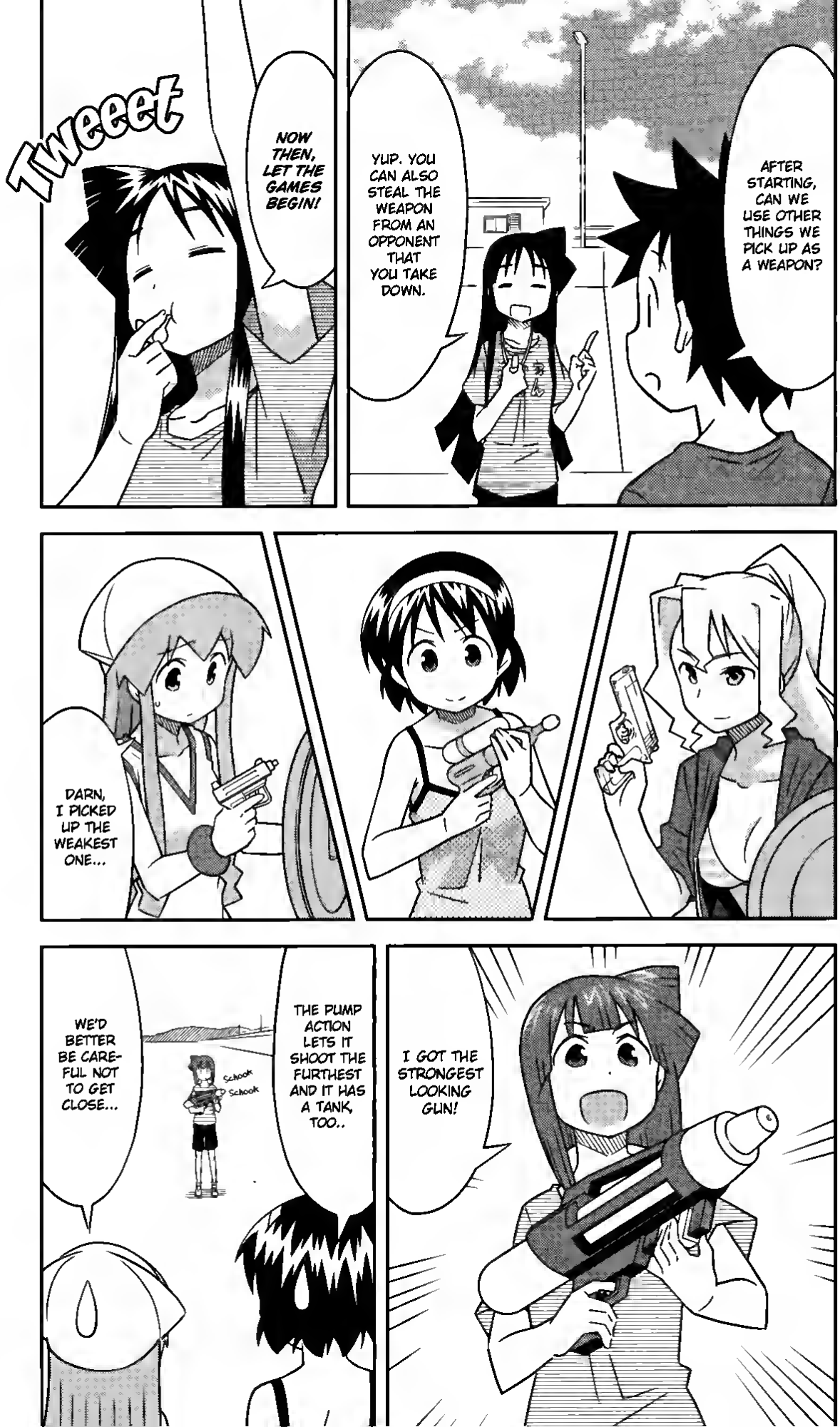



THERE'S ENOUGH, BUT WITH THIS LITTLE VARIETY, WOULDN'T IT BE UNFAIR?
WITH THIS MANY WATER GUNS, EVERYONE SHOULD BE ABLE TO PLAY.

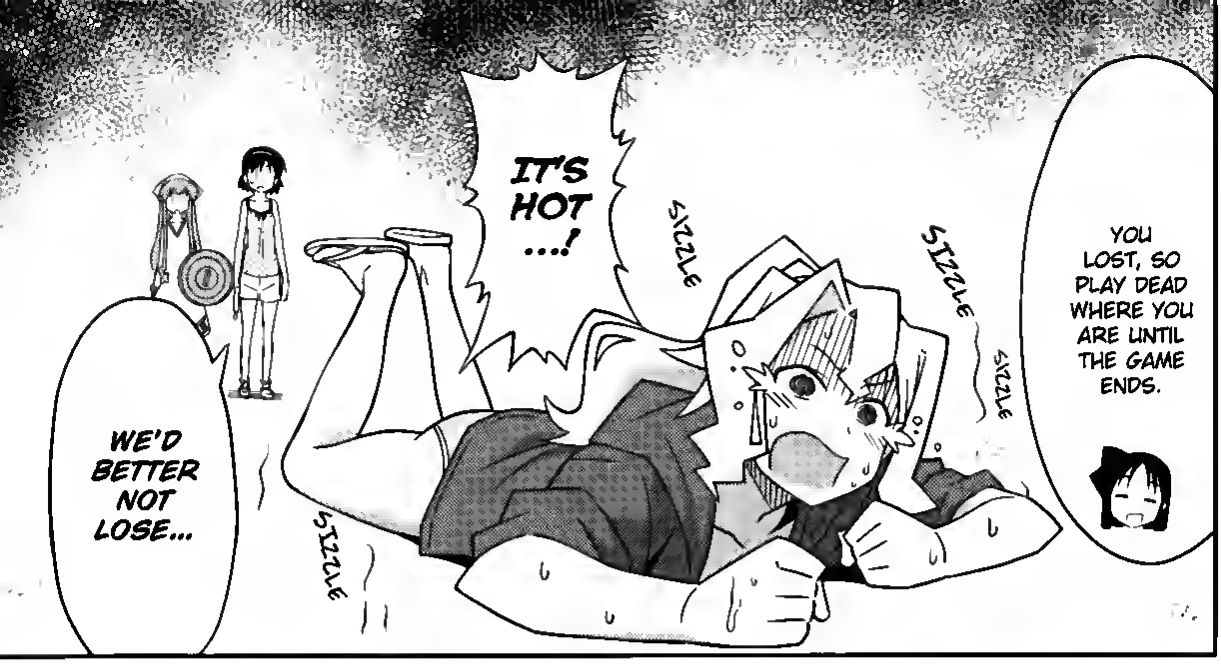
Beach House LEMON
WE'LL NOW BE HOLDING THE WATER GUN DEATHMATCH WHERE GETTING WET IS LOSING.

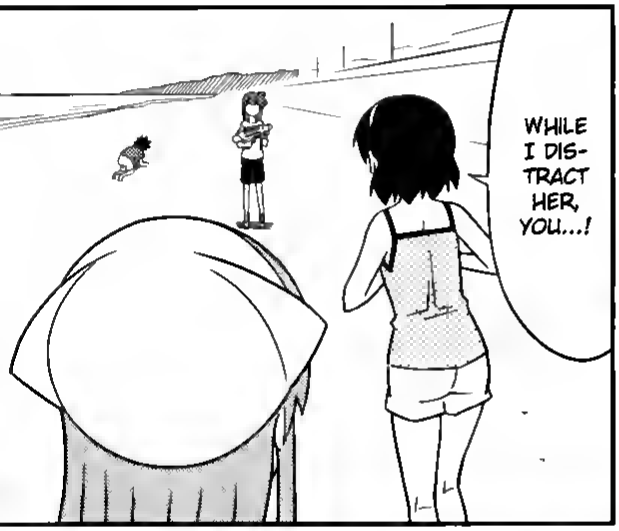

A BUCKET LID CAN BE USED AS A SHIELD AND SUCH, SO GET CREATIVE.
THERE ARE ALSO THINGS DROPPED THAT AREN'T A WATER GUN, BUT...


THE USABLE WEAPONS ON THE GROUND WILL BE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE.
WHEN EVERYONE HAS TAKEN UP THE WEAPONS, THE GAME WILL START.
GO!

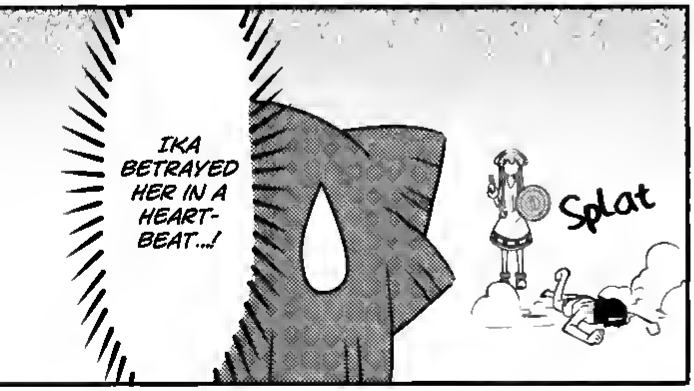

AFTER STARTING, CAN WE USE OTHER THINGS WE PICK UP AS A WEAPON?
YUP. YOU CAN ALSO STEAL THE WEAPON FROM AN OPPONENT THAT YOU TAKE DOWN.
NOW THEN, LET THE GAMES BEGIN!
Tweeet
DARN, I PICKED UP THE WEAKEST ONE...
I GOT THE STRONGEST LOOKING GUN!
THE PUMP ACTION LETS IT SHOOT THE FURTHEST AND IT HAS A TANK, TOO..
WE'D BETTER BE CARE-FUL NOT TO GET CLOSE...
Schook Schook

WHOOSH
CINDY!
WELL, THAT'S WHAT OUR SHIELD IS FOR, RIGHT?!
DASH
!!
SPLASH
HUH?
WHERE ARE YOU GOING, CINDY-SAN?
IT SLIPPED MY MIND...
YOU KNOW, WITH SUCH A SMALL SHIELD YOU'D ONLY BE COVERED AS FAR ABOVE YOUR LEGS.


YOU LOST, SO PLAY DEAD WHERE YOU ARE UNTIL THE GAME ENDS.
SIZZLE
SIZZLE
SIZZLE
IT'S HOT ...!
WE'D BETTER NOT LOSE...

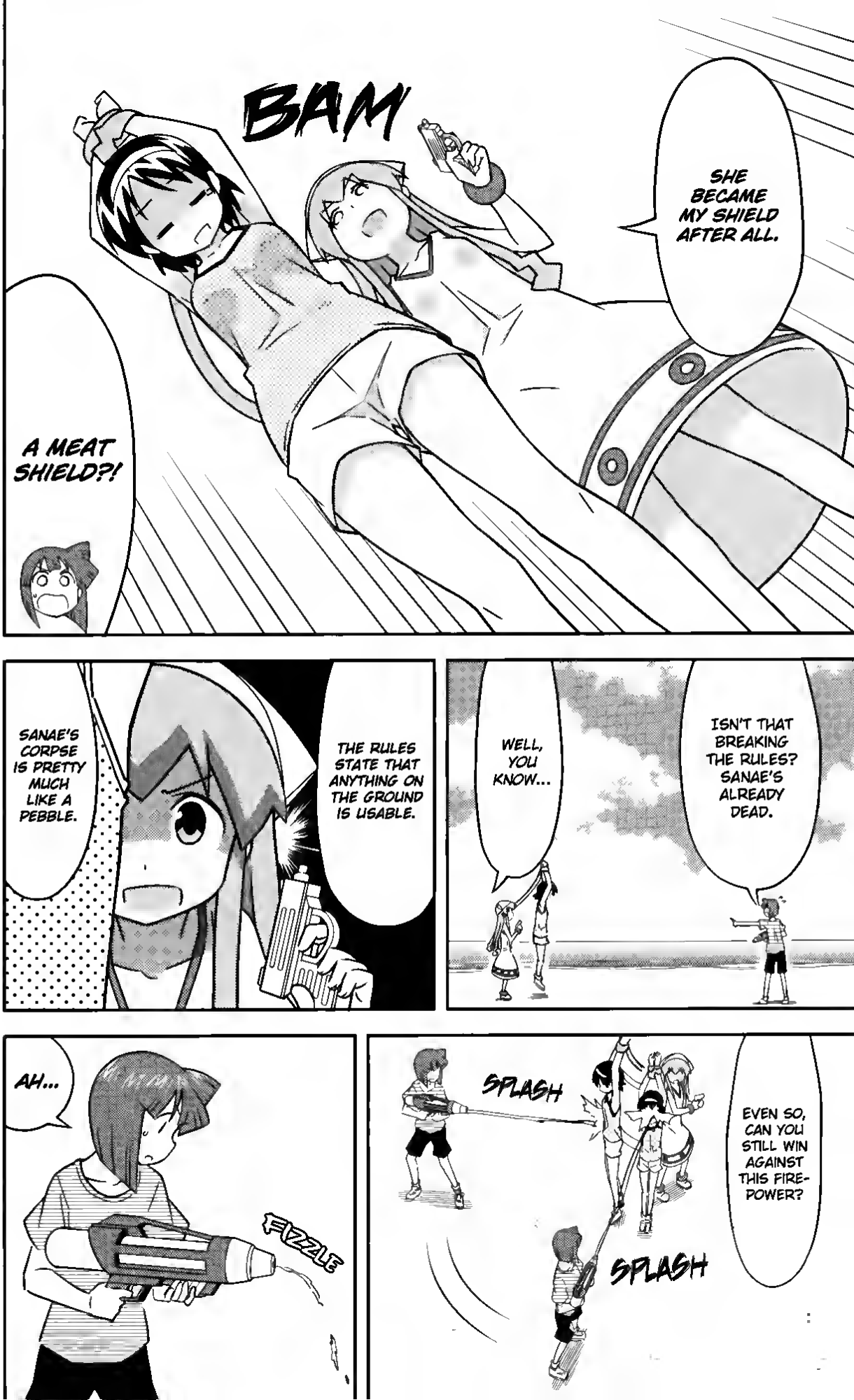

WHILE I DIS-TRACT HER, YOU...!

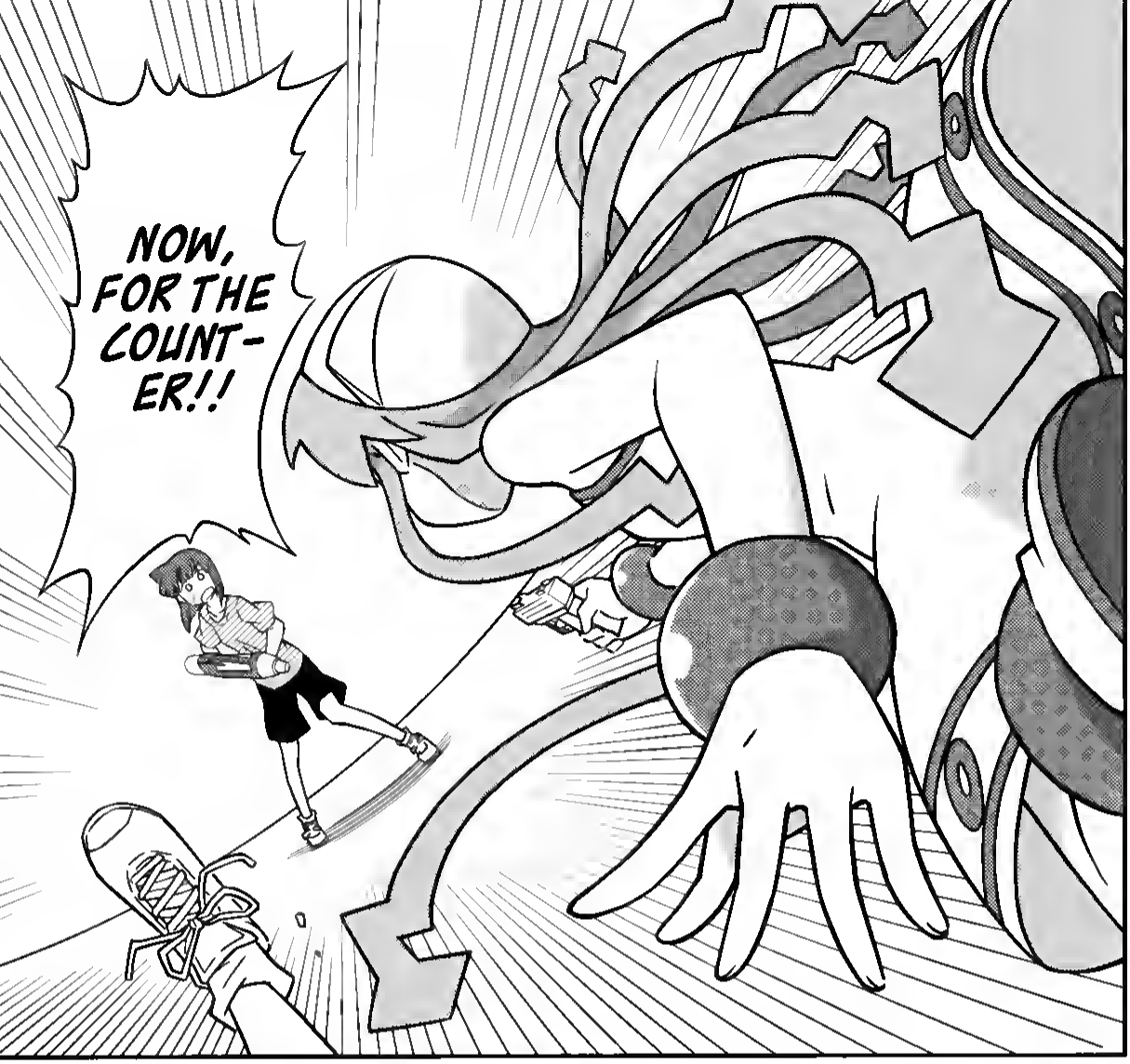
AL-RIGHT.
FOR NOW, LET'S TEAM UP IN ORDER TO TAKE DOWN EIKO FIRST!

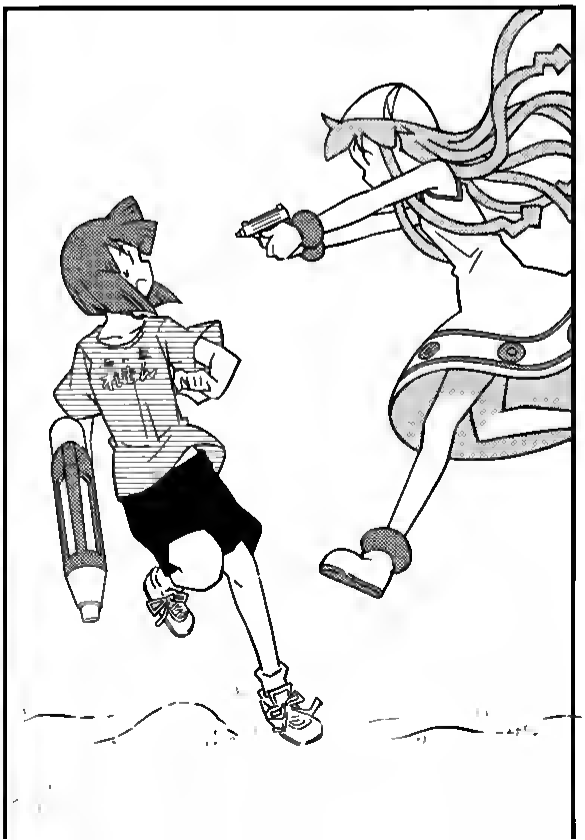

IKA BETRAYED HER IN A HEART-BEAT...!
Splat

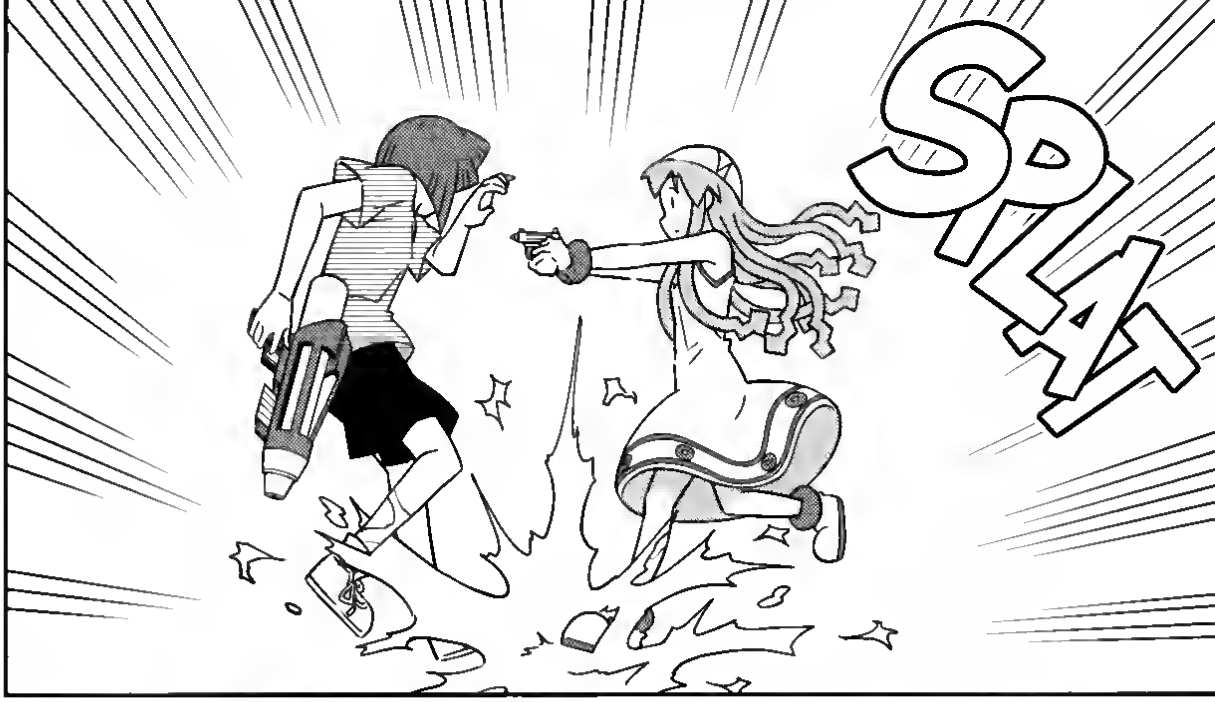
SPLASH

THE POINT ON COOP-ERATING HASN'T CHANGED.


BAM
SHE BECAME MY SHIELD AFTER ALL.
A MEAT SHIELD?!
SANAE'S CORPSE IS PRETTY MUCH LIKE A PEBBLE.
THE RULES STATE THAT ANYTHING ON THE GROUND IS USABLE.
WELL, YOU KNOW...
ISN'T THAT BREAKING THE RULES? SANAE'S ALREADY DEAD.
AH...
FIZZLE
SPLASH
SPLASH
EVEN SO, CAN YOU STILL WIN AGAINST THIS FIRE-POWER?


NOW, FOR THE COUNT-ER!!

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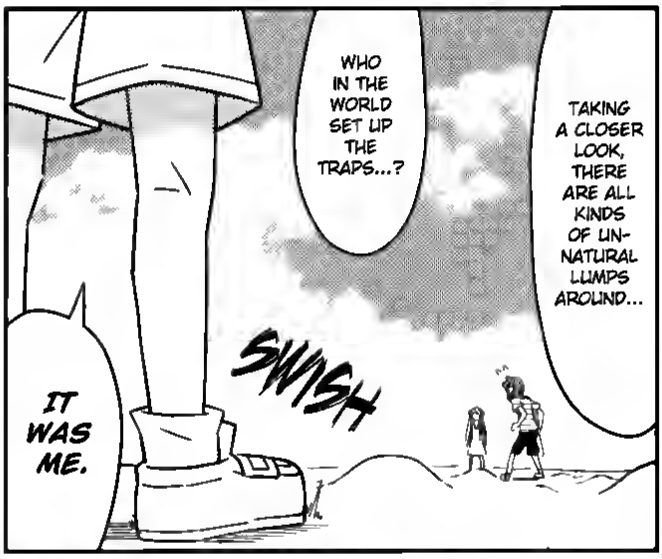
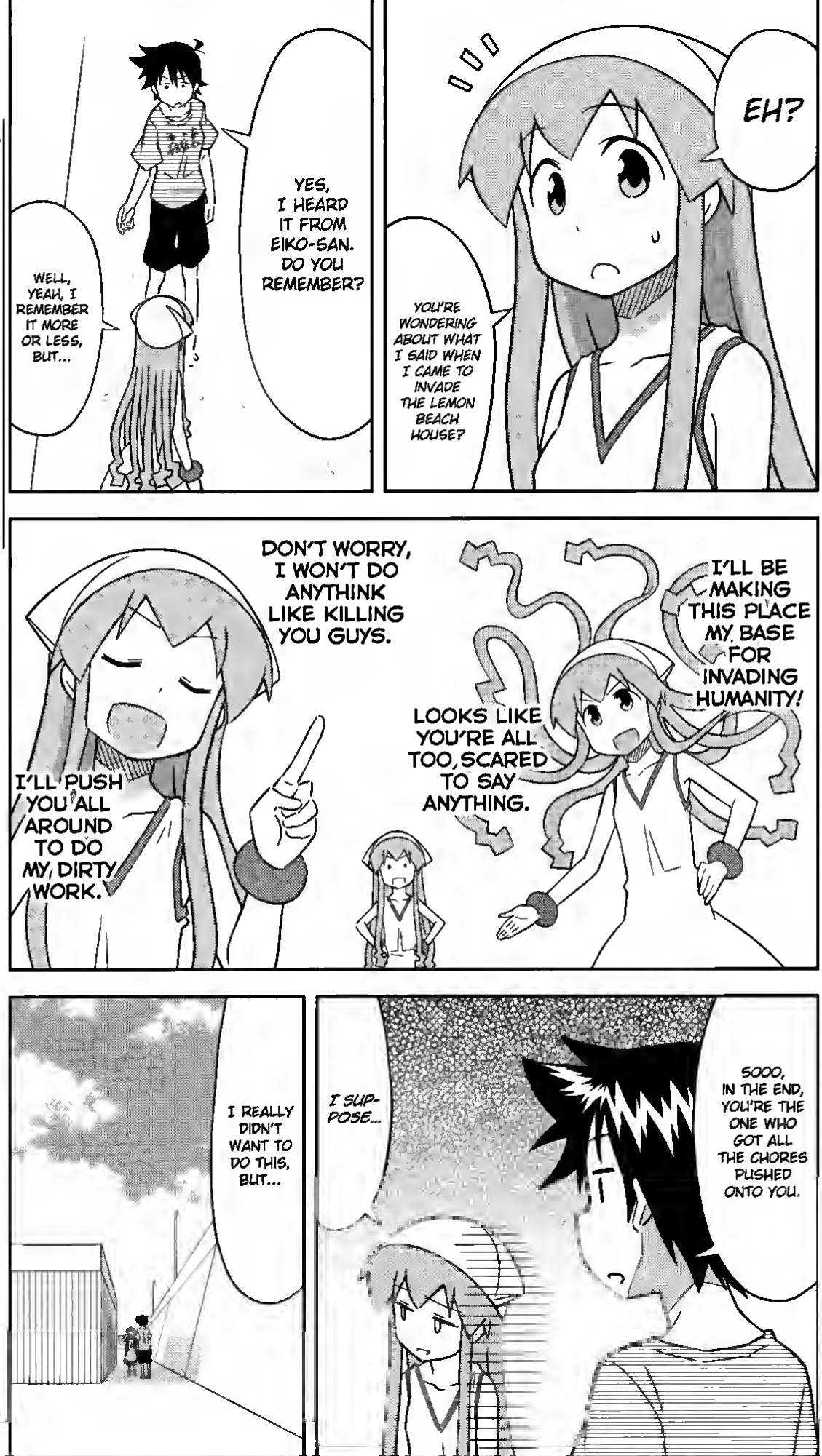

WHO IN THE WORLD SET UP THE TRAPS...?
TAKING A CLOSER LOOK, THERE ARE ALL KINDS OF UN-NATURAL LUMPS AROUND...
SWISH
IT WAS ME.

A WATER BAL-LOON?

SORRY ABOUT THAT, TAKERU...
IT'S 'CAUSE I DON'T REALLY STAND OUT, AFTER ALL...
AN OVER-WHELMING VICTORY FOR TAKERU.
CH. 376 END

TAKERU!
WHILE EVERYONE WAS ENGAGING WITH ONE ANOTHER, I SECRETLY PREPARED EVERY-THING.
GO!

CHAPTER 378: WON'T YOU DO MY DIRTY WORK?

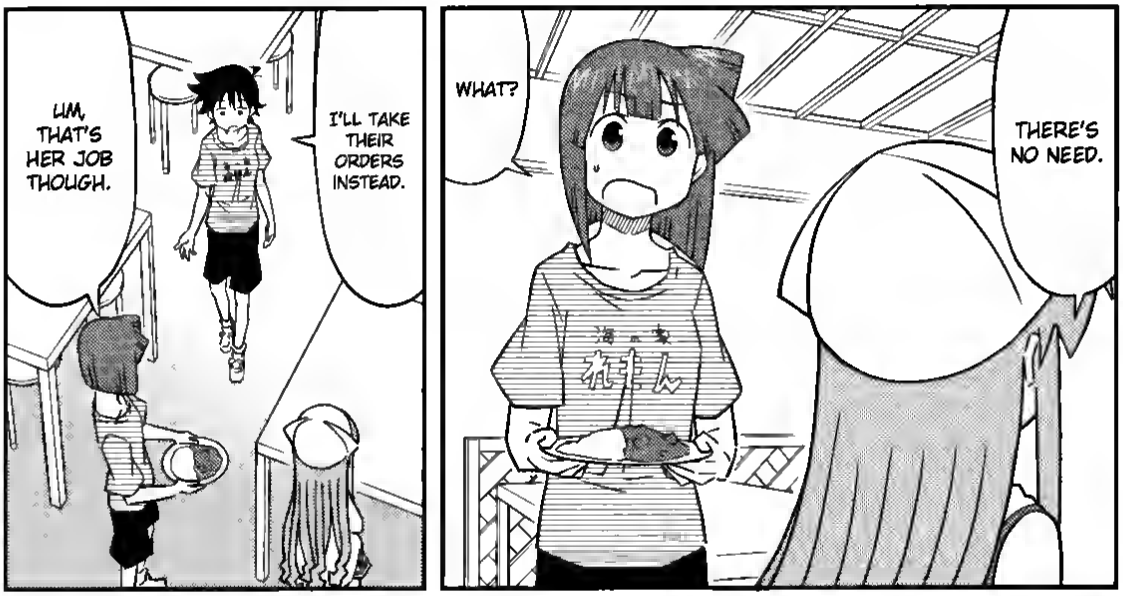

EH?
YOU'RE WONDERING ABOUT WHAT I SAID WHEN I CAME TO INVADE THE LEMON BEACH HOUSE?
YES, I HEARD IT FROM EIKO-SAN. DO YOU REMEMBER?
WELL, YEAH, I REMEMBER IT MORE OR LESS, BUT...
I'LL BE MAKING THIS PLACE MY BASE FOR INVADING HUMANITY!
DON'T WORRY, I WON'T DO ANYTHINK LIKE KILLING YOU GUYS.
LOOKS LIKE YOU'RE ALL TOO, SCARED TO SAY ANYTHING.
I'LL PUSH YOU ALL AROUND TO DO MY DIRTY WORK.
SOOO, IN THE END, YOU'RE THE ONE WHO GOT ALL THE CHORES PUSHED ONTO YOU.
I SUP-POSE...
I REALLY DIDN'T WANT TO DO THIS, BUT...

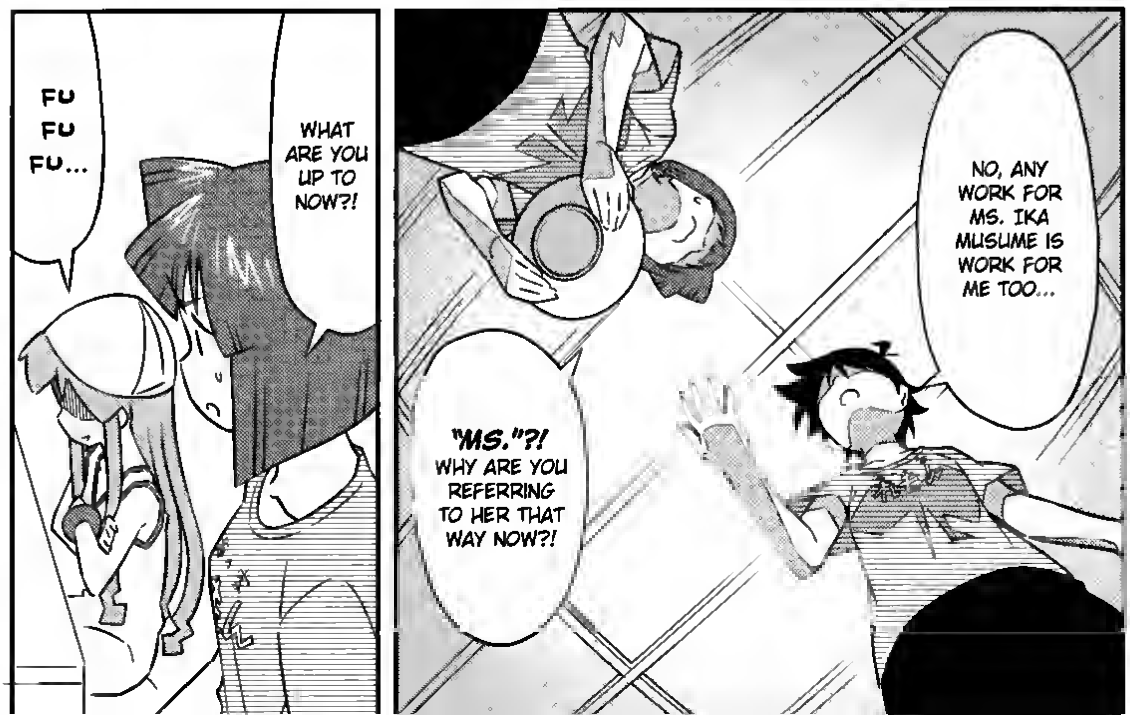
LET ME HANDLE ALL OF YOUR DIRTY WORK.

UP TO NOW YOU'VE MADE NO PROGRESS, SO I CAN'T SEE YOU AS AN INVADER.
IF THERE'S A REAL SUCCESS OF HAVING ME AS YOUR UNDERLING, I EXPECT EVERYONE WILL TAKE YOU MORE SERIOUSLY.

THERE'S NO OTHER WAY FOR YOU AS AN INVADER.
WHAT ARE YOU TALKINK ABOUT? ARE YOU TRYING TO MAKE ME ANGRY?!

LEMON
HEY,
THE CUSTOMERS ARE COMING IN.
GET MOVING ALREADY.


WHAT?
THERE'S NO NEED.
I'LL TAKE THEIR ORDERS INSTEAD.
UM, THAT'S HER JOB THOUGH.


NO, ANY WORK FOR MS. IKA MUSUME IS WORK FOR ME TOO...
"MS."?! WHY ARE YOU REFERRING TO HER THAT WAY NOW?!
WHAT ARE YOU UP TO NOW?!
FU FU FU...

NAGISA HAS BECOME MY UNDER-LING!
SHE'LL LISTEN TO ANYTHINK I SAY!

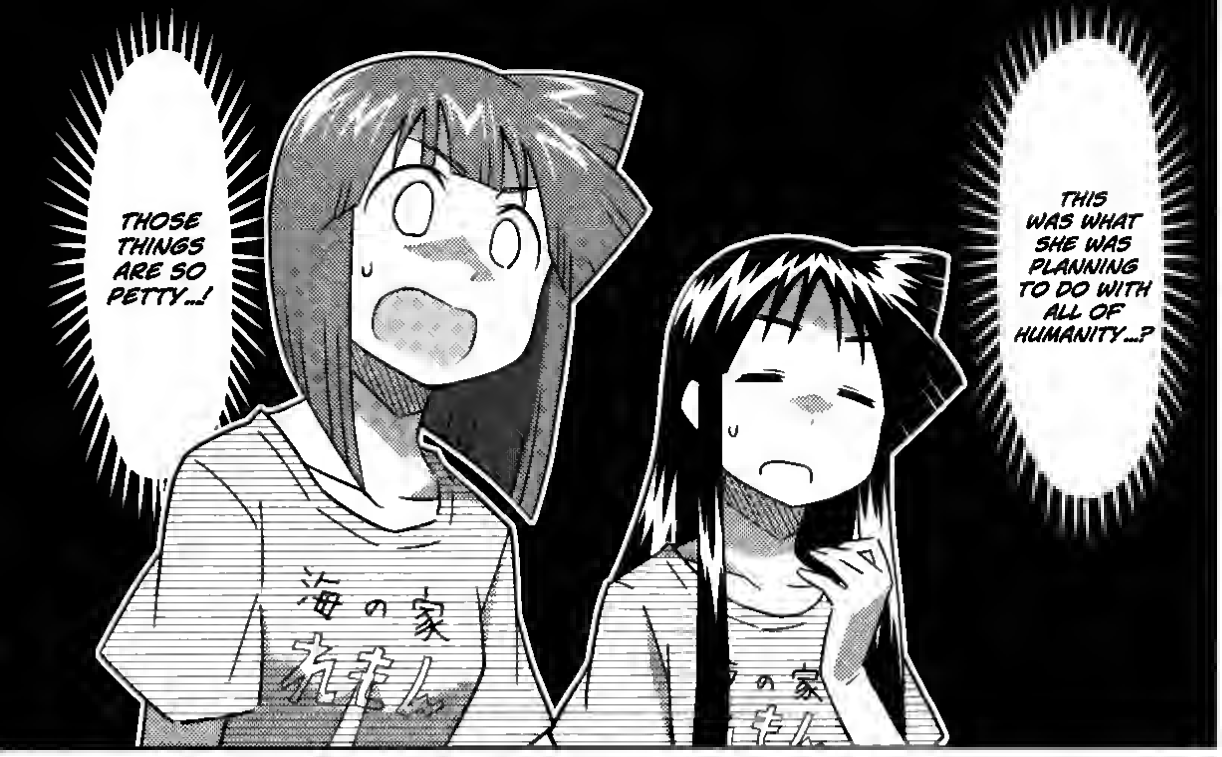
I WANT TO EAT SOME SHRIMP FRIED RICE, NAGISA.
I'LL MAKE IT NOW.

MASSAGE MY SHOUL-DERS, NAGISA
OK.

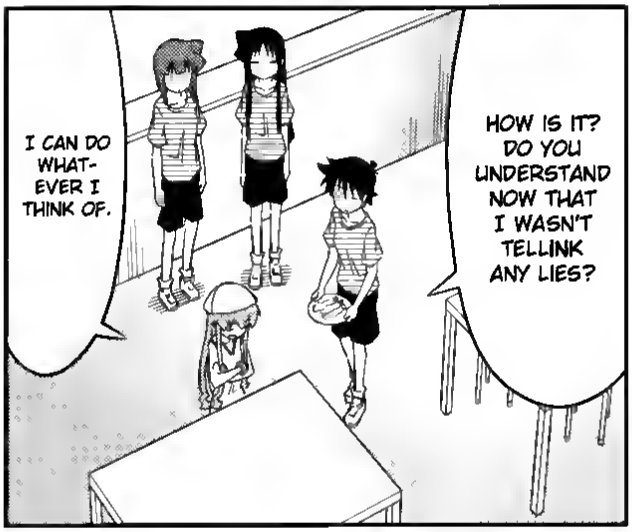
BUY ME SOME JUICE, NAGISA.
OK.

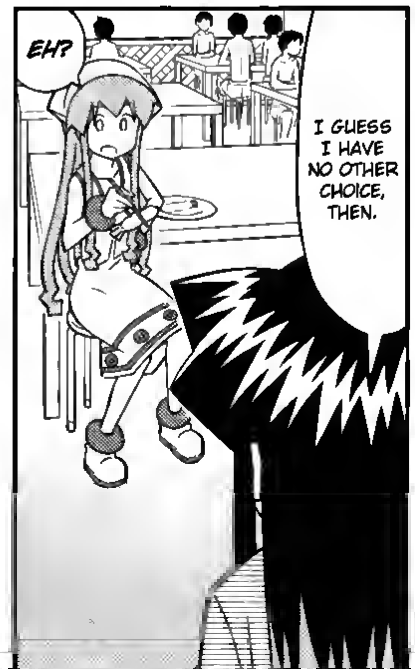
IT LOOKS LIKE THEY WERE LEFT SPEECH-LESS.

GETTING PUSHED AROUND BY THAT SQUID PERSON IS ANNOYING, BUT...
I EXPECT THIS TO DEMON-STRATE HOW FEAR-SOME SHE IS...!


THOSE THINGS ARE SO PETTY...!
THIS WAS WHAT SHE WAS PLANNING TO DO WITH ALL OF HUMANITY...?
海の家

PICK UP
YOU ALL BETTER BE PREPARED FOR IT!


I CAN DO WHAT-EVER I THINK OF.
HOW IS IT? DO YOU UNDERSTAND NOW THAT I WASN'T TELLINK ANY LIES?


EH?
I GUESS I HAVE NO OTHER CHOICE, THEN.

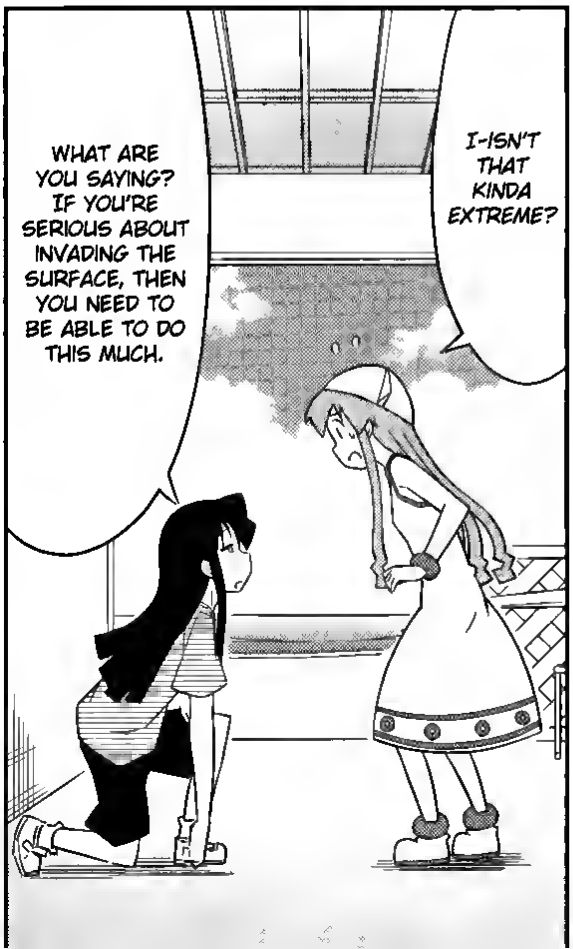
AND IT SEEMS LIKE NAGISA-CHAN HAS FALLEN UNDER YOUR CONTROL NOW...
...WELL, WE WERE KINDA UNDER-ESTIMATING YOU...

BOW
I NEVER THOUGHT THAT THIS WOULD HAPPEN TO NAGISA-CHAN... LET ME JOIN, TOO.
WHA-
MAKE ME INTO YOUR UNDERLING TOO, PLEASE.
BOW
MS. IKA MUSUME.
YOU DID IT...!
WITH CHIZURU-SAN AS AN ALLY, THERE'S NO ENEMY THAT CAN FACE YOU!
SO THEN...
HOWEVER, I'M GETTING SOME WEIRD VIBES FOR SOME REASON...!
I DID WISH FOR SOMETHING LIKE THIS TO HAPPEN BACK IN THOSE DAYS...

LET'S GET RID OF THE HUMANS AROUND PESTERING YOU.
WHAT?!

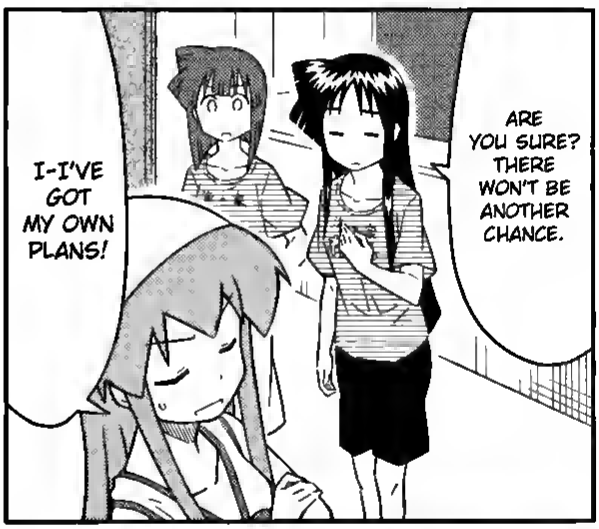
I THINK I WILL DEFINITELY BE OF USE FOR INVADING.
NOW GIVE ME YOUR ORDERS.

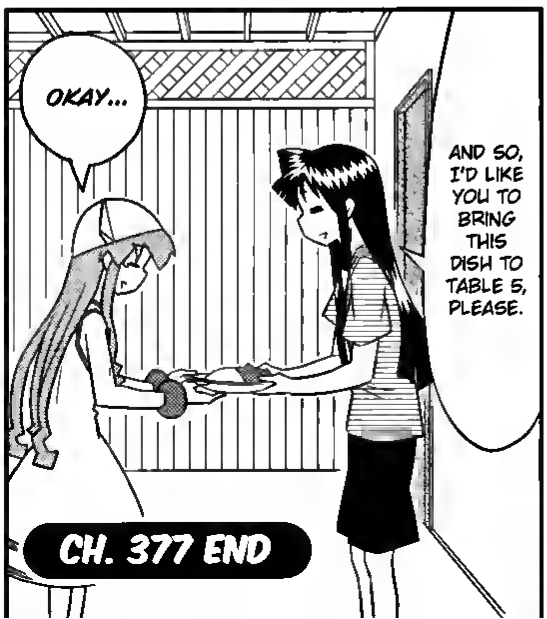
COME ON...!


I-ISN'T THAT KINDA EXTREME?
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING? IF YOU'RE SERIOUS ABOUT INVADING THE SURFACE, THEN YOU NEED TO BE ABLE TO DO THIS MUCH.

I'M BREAK-INK THIS PLAN!
S-STOP...!

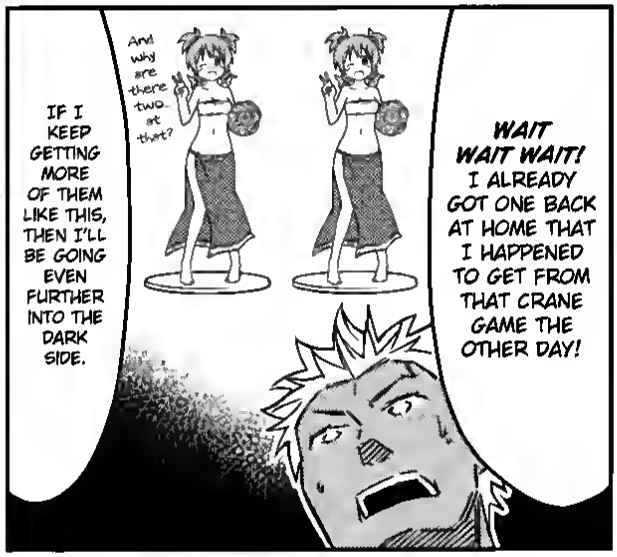
Y-YEAH...
AREN'T YOU GLAD YOU'VE BEEN FREED?

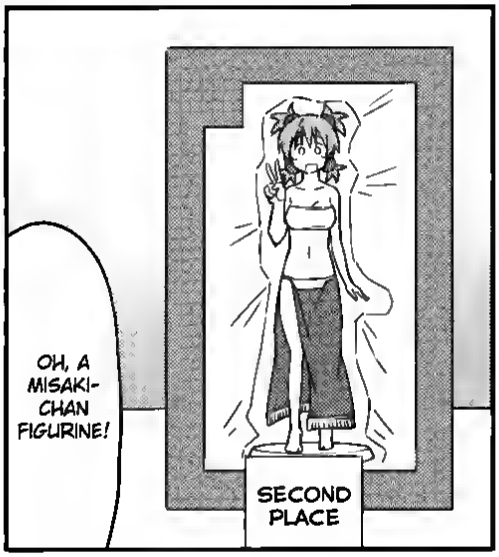

I-I'VE GOT MY OWN PLANS!
ARE YOU SURE? THERE WON'T BE ANOTHER CHANCE.


OKAY...
AND SO, I'D LIKE YOU TO BRING THIS DISH TO TABLE 5, PLEASE.
CH. 377 END

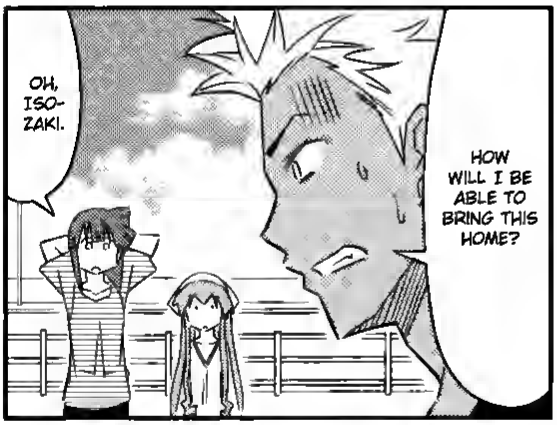
THAT SQUID PERSON WON'T BECOME AN INVADER UNLESS SHE OVER-COMES THIS.
AS EXPECTED OF CHIZURU-SAN... SHE'S GOT HER COMPLETELY HANDLED.

CHAPTER 378: ISN'T IT A LIFE SIZED FIGURINE?


And why are there two of that?
IF I KEEP GETTING MORE OF THEM LIKE THIS, THEN I'LL BE GOING EVEN FURTHER INTO THE DARK SIDE.
WAIT WAIT WAIT! I ALREADY GOT ONE BACK AT HOME THAT I HAPPENED TO GET FROM THAT CRANE GAME THE OTHER DAY!



FIRST PLACE PRIZE IS A FULL SCALE MISAKI-CHAN FIGURE!
Rustle


OH, ISO-ZAKI.
HOW WILL I BE ABLE TO BRING THIS HOME?

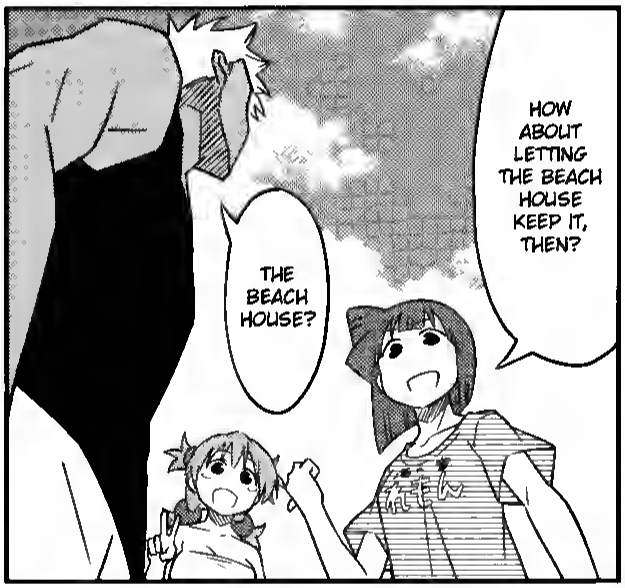
I-I DIDN'T HEAR ABOUT ANYTHING BIG LIKE THIS...
WELL, HONESTLY, THE SIZE OF THE THING IS GETTING IN THE WAY, SO IT'D BE GREAT IF YOU COULD TAKE IT.

YOU WON THE LIFE SIZED MISAKI-CHAN FIGURINE IN FIRST PLACE?! YOU'LL TAKE IT, WON'T YOU?
WHEN DID I EVER SAY THAT?

T-THAT'S A BIT EXTREME...
THEN WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO, THROW IT AWAY?

NOBODY WILL DARE CALL OUT TO ME WHEN I GO OUT...
IF I BRING IT AROUND TOWN WITH ME, THEN VARIOUS STUFF WILL...

LIKE THIS.

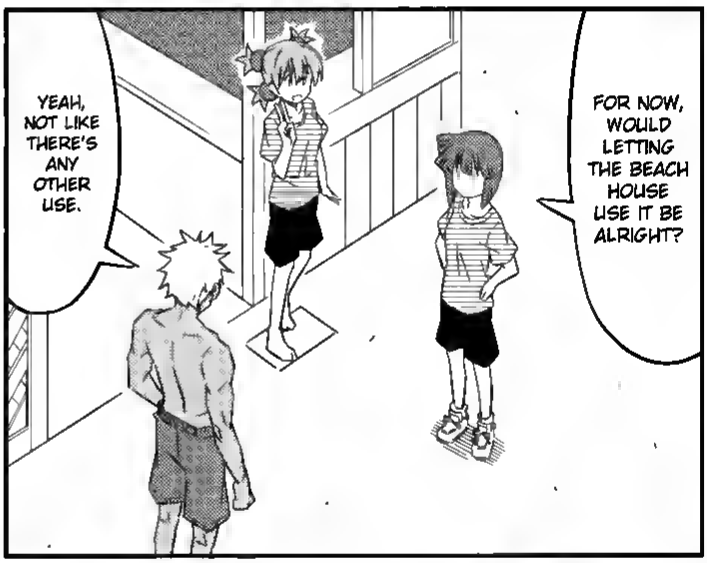

THE BEACH HOUSE?
HOW ABOUT LETTING THE BEACH HOUSE KEEP IT, THEN?

ALL OF IT?!
WELL, THEY WEREN'T BUILT INTO THE FIGURE, SO I JUST TOOK IT ALL OFF.

HUH? WHERE ARE THE ORIGINAL CLOTHES?
SHE'LL BE A PRETTY FACE TO ATTRACT CUSTOM-ERS.

H-HOW MUCH DID YOU TAKE OFF?
DID IT HAVE A ROCKING FIGURE ...?!
NOT KEEPING IT AT YOUR HOUSE WAS PROBABLY FOR THE BEST.

Beach House LEMON

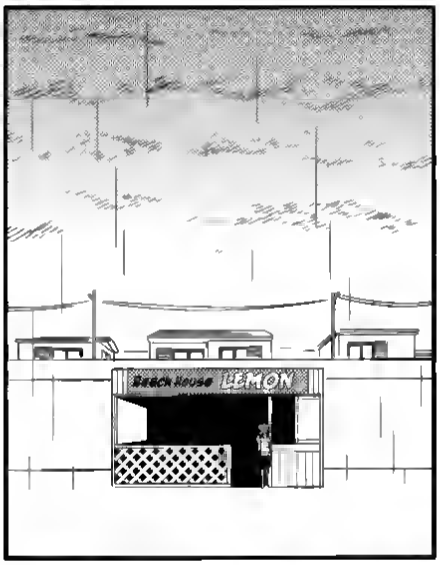

FOR NOW, WOULD LETTING THE BEACH HOUSE USE IT BE ALRIGHT?
YEAH, NOT LIKE THERE'S ANY OTHER USE.

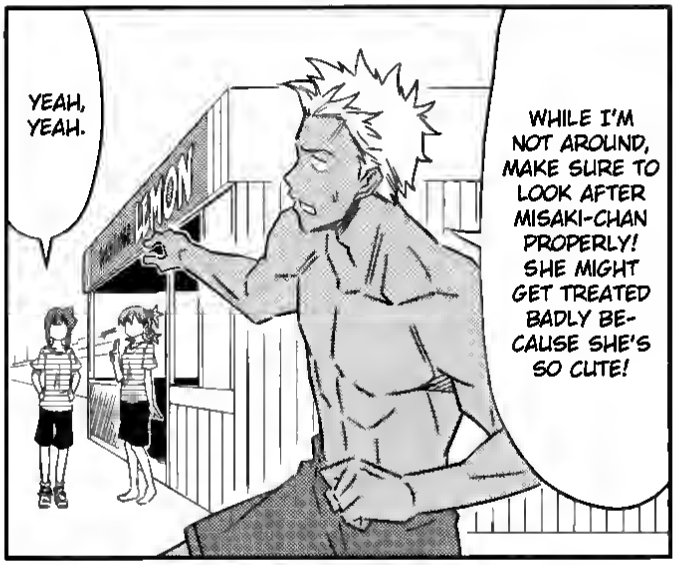
OKAY, SAY CHEES-

OH, THERE'S SOME KIND OF FIGURE OF AN ANIME CHARACTER OUT HERE.
WHY DON'T WE GO TAKE A PHOTO FOR A SOUVE-NIR?

YOU, JUST GET BACK TO WORK.
KICK

Eeek... I'm sorry!
GET YOUR HANDS OFF MISAKI-CHAN.

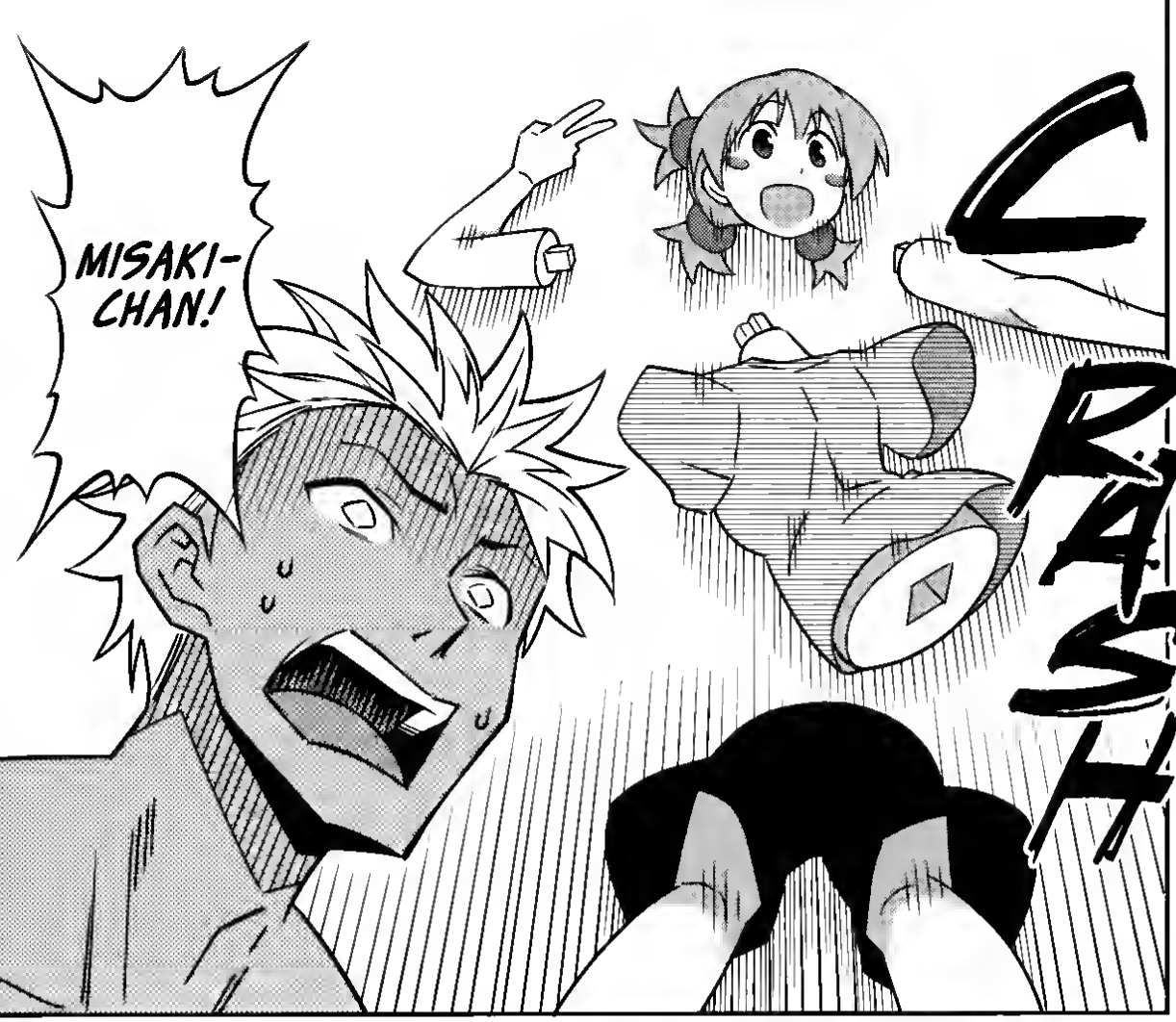

BEACH HOUSE LEMON

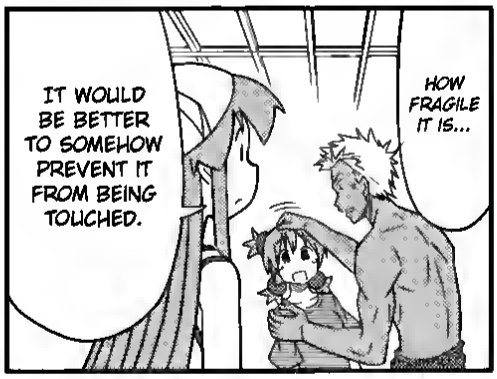

YEAH, YEAH.
LEMON
WHILE I'M NOT AROUND, MAKE SURE TO LOOK AFTER MISAKI-CHAN PROPERLY! SHE MIGHT GET TREATED BADLY BE-CAUSE SHE'S SO CUTE!

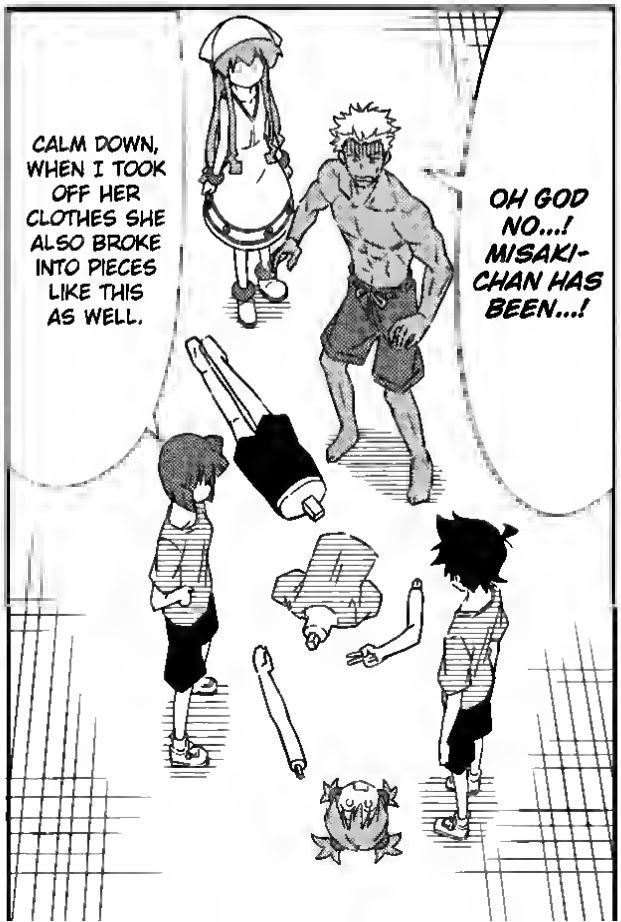
STOMP STOMP

IT'S START-ING TO RAIN.

HEY! MISAKI-CHAN IS GETTING WET FROM THE RAIN! WHY DIDN'T YOU IMMEDIATELY BRING HER INSIDE?!
HOW ANNOY-ING...!
WHERE AM I GOING TO PUT THIS THING WITH HOW BIG IT IS...?
N-NOW NOW, THAT'S A BIT...
IF YOU'RE THAT WOR-RIED, THEN JUST TAKE IT BACK TO YOUR HOUSE!
AH!
BUMP


MISAKI-CHAN!
CRASH

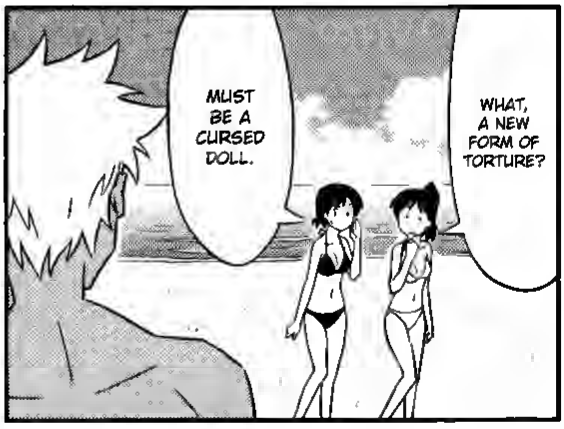

HOW FRAGILE IT IS...
IT WOULD BE BETTER TO SOMEHOW PREVENT IT FROM BEING TOUCHED.


OH GOD NO...! MISAKI-CHAN HAS BEEN...!
CALM DOWN, WHEN I TOOK OFF HER CLOTHES SHE ALSO BROKE INTO PIECES LIKE THIS AS WELL.

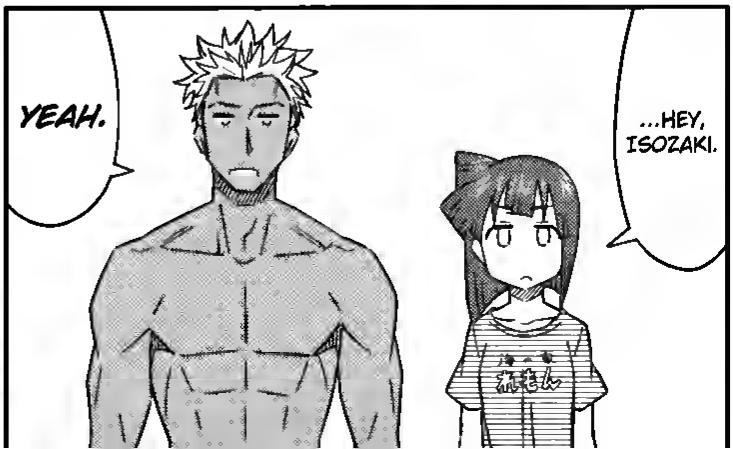
LEMON
KEEPING IT FROM GETTING WET IN THE RAIN, TOO...
ULTRA-VIOLET RAYS MIGHT ALSO MAKE MAKE THE FIGURINE LOSE COLOR.

Beach House
DANGER!
DON'T TOUCH!
KEEP OUT KEEP OUT KEEP OUT

LET'S NOT GET NEAR IT AT ALL.
LEMON
IT'S PRETTY SPOOKY.

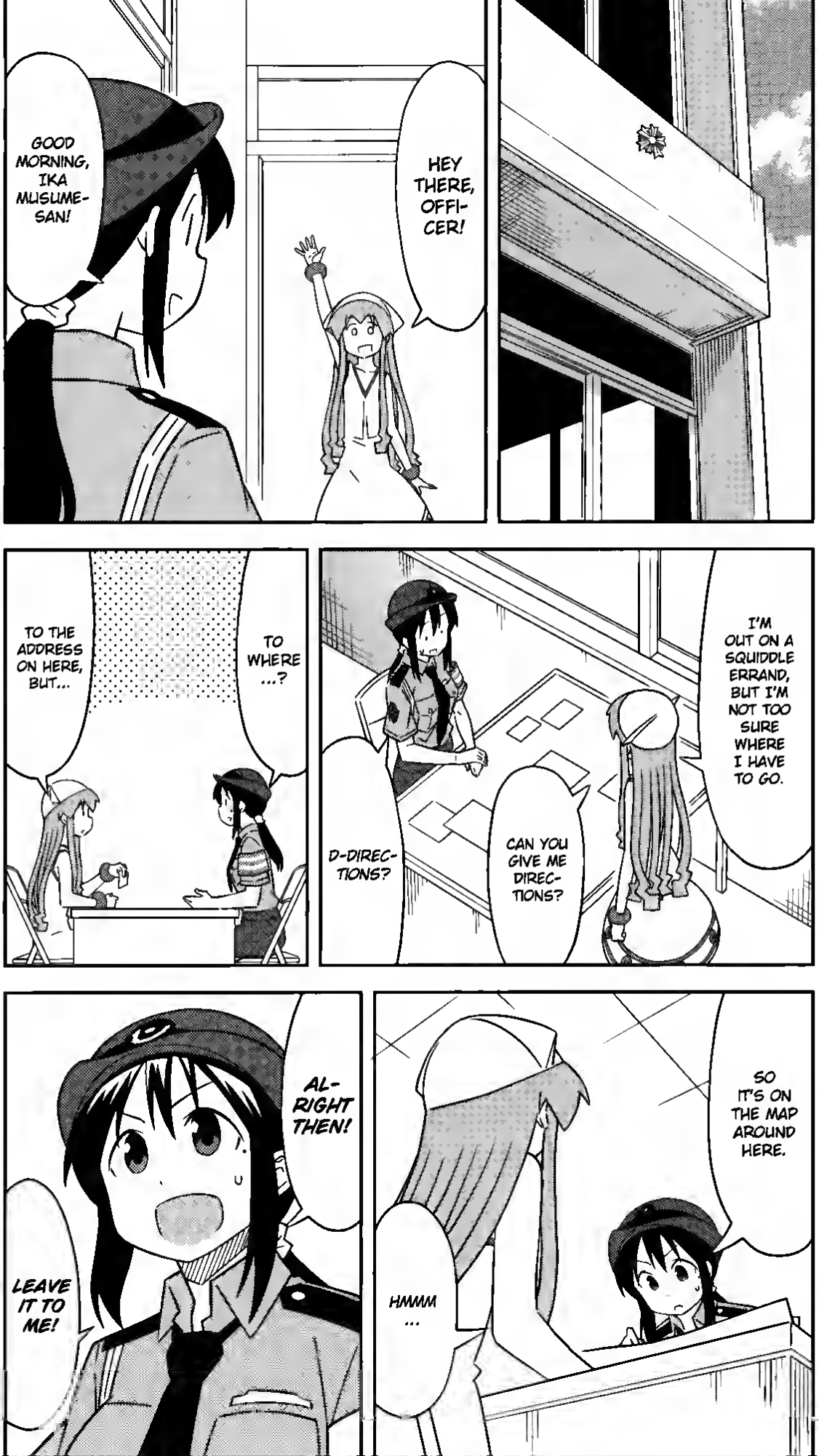

MUST BE A CURSED DOLL.
WHAT, A NEW FORM OF TORTURE?

YOU SHOULD TAKE IT BACK.
...I AGREE.
CH. 378 END


YEAH.
...HEY, ISOZAKI.

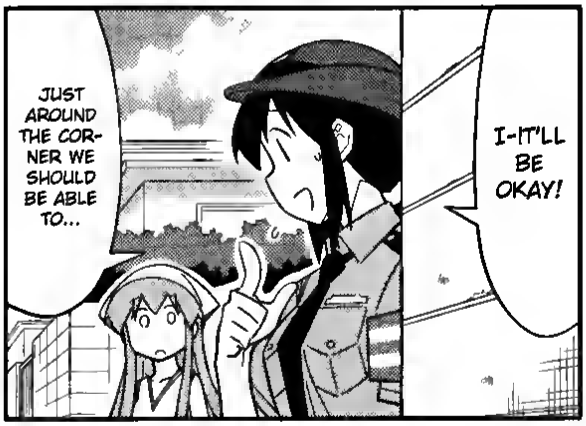
The invader comes from the bottom of the sea!

CHAPTER 379: DON'T YOU HAVE A POOR SENSE OF DIRECTION?


GOOD MORNING, IKA MUSUME-SAN!
HEY THERE, OFFI-CER!
I'M OUT ON A SQUIDDLE ERRAND, BUT I'M NOT TOO SURE WHERE I HAVE TO GO.
CAN YOU GIVE ME DIREC-TIONS?
D-DIREC-TIONS?
TO WHERE ...?
TO THE ADDRESS ON HERE, BUT...
SO IT'S ON THE MAP AROUND HERE.
HMMM ...
AL-RIGHT THEN!
LEAVE IT TO ME!

SEEMS LIKE WE'RE STILL NOT THERE.
I CAN'T SAY THAT I GOT LOST...!

WAIT HERE JUST A BIT, PLEASE!
AH! THAT'S RIGHT! I CAME TO GET BACK SOME-THING I LEFT BEHIND!


JUST AROUND THE COR-NER WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO...
I-IT'LL BE OKAY!

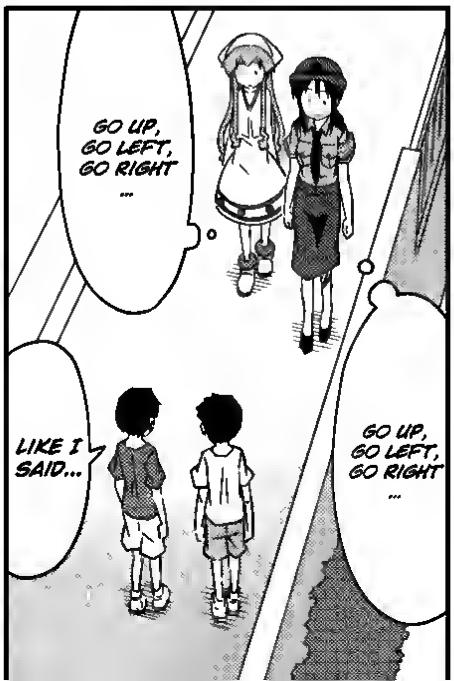
AH.

I GOTTA LOOK THROUGH THE MAP AGAIN FAST...
GO UP, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT... THAT HAS TO BE IT!

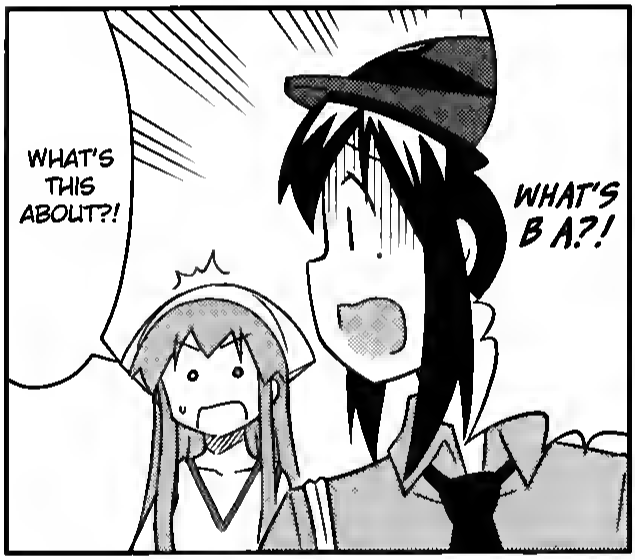
GO UP, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT ...
GO UP, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT ...

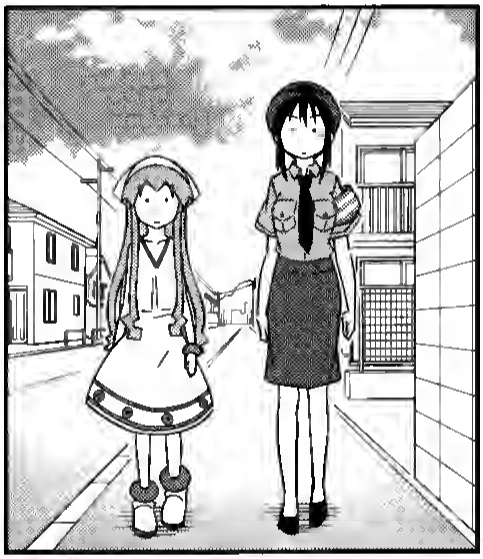
I'M COUNT-INK ON YOU!
SORRY FOR THE DELAY! LET'S BE ON OUR WAY!

REALLY NOW?
UP THERE.
THE CHEAT CODE IS UP DOWN LEFT RIGHT B A.


GO UP, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT ...
LIKE I SAID...
GO UP, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT ...

GO UP, GO DOWN, GO LEFT, GO RIGHT.
B, A!

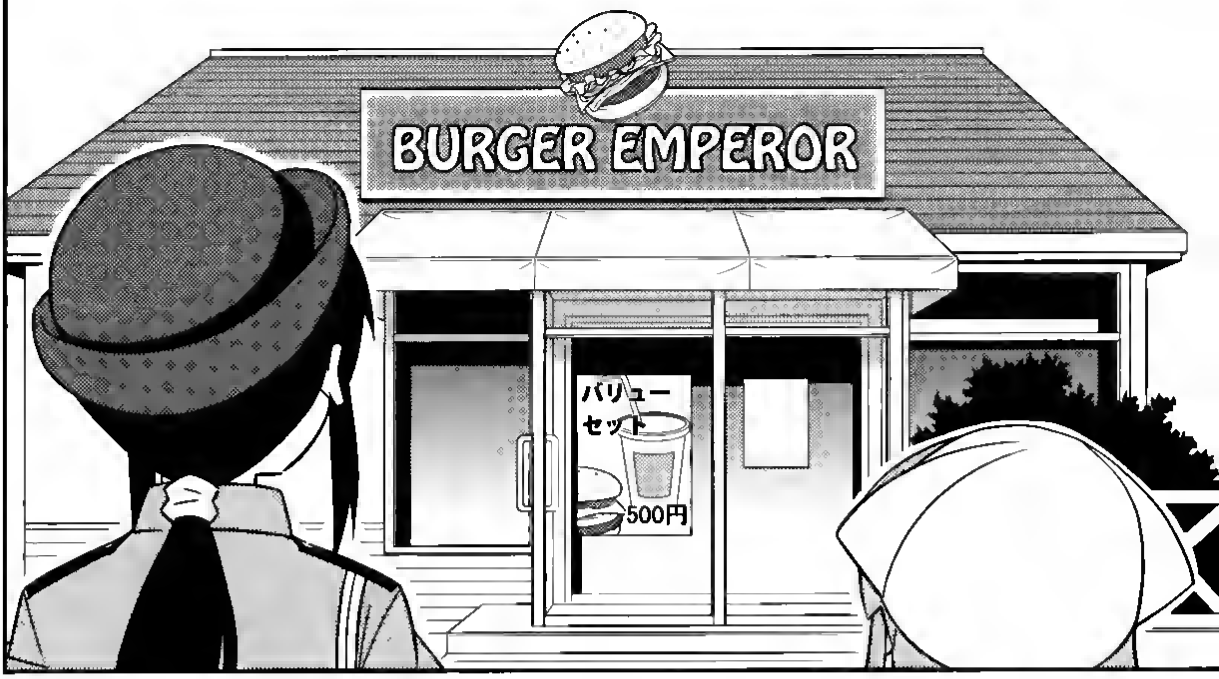

WHAT'S THIS ABOUT?!
WHAT'S B A?!

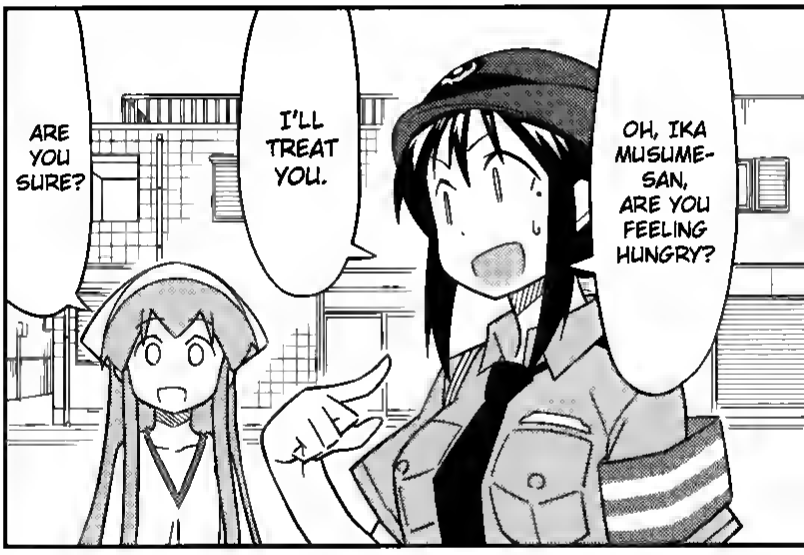


I WONDER WHY I DIDN'T THINK OF THAT SOONER!
OH, THAT'S RIGHT, I CAN USE THE GPS ON MY PHONE...

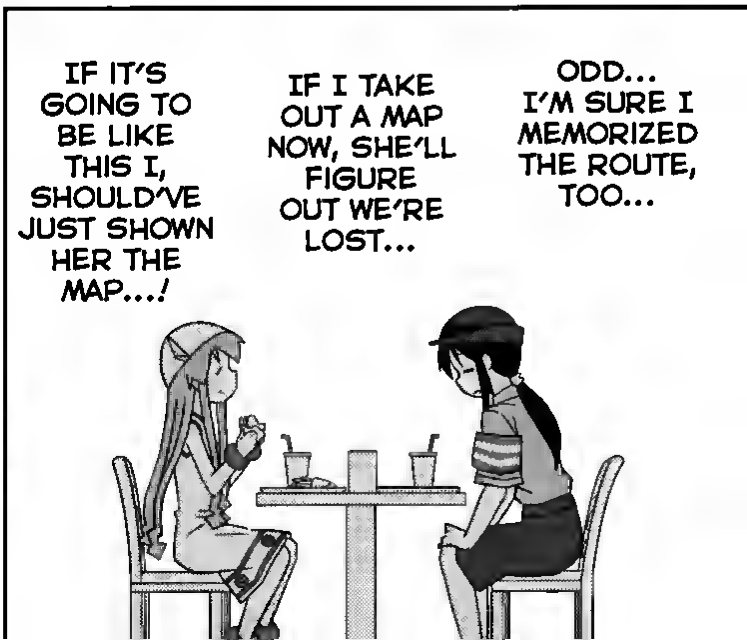
Twist
I'VE LOST MY SENSE OF DIREC-TION...!
OH NO... MY MENTAL MAP HAS BECOME TWISTED.

I LEFT IT BEHIND AT THE STA-TION...!
I EVEN HAD A CHANCE TO GET IT BACK.
WHY DIDN'T I BRING IT ALONG BACK THEN? I'M SUCH A DUMMY...!
WHAT'S WRONG, OFFICER?
N-NOTHING AT ALL!
EVEN BEFORE, I WAS SEEN BEING LED BY A ELE-MENTARY SCHOOL STUDENT...
DASH!
IF I CAN'T SHOW RELIABILITY, ALL FAITH IN THE POLICE WILL BE LOST...!
IF YOU DON'T HAVE ANY CONFI-DENCE...!
YOU JUST HAVE TO BELIEVE IN YOUR-SELF, KEIKO...!
THIS TIME FOR SURE...!

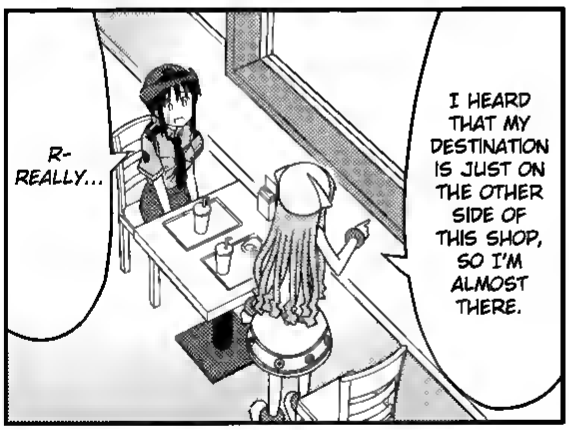

BURGER EMPEROR
バリュー
セット
500円


OH, IKA MUSUME-SAN, ARE YOU FEELING HUNGRY?
I'LL TREAT YOU.
ARE YOU SURE?

CLATTER
OFFI-CER...


ODD... I'M SURE I MEMORIZED THE ROUTE, TOO...
IF I TAKE OUT A MAP NOW, SHE'LL FIGURE OUT WE'RE LOST...
IF IT'S GOING TO BE LIKE THIS I, SHOULD'VE JUST SHOWN HER THE MAP...!

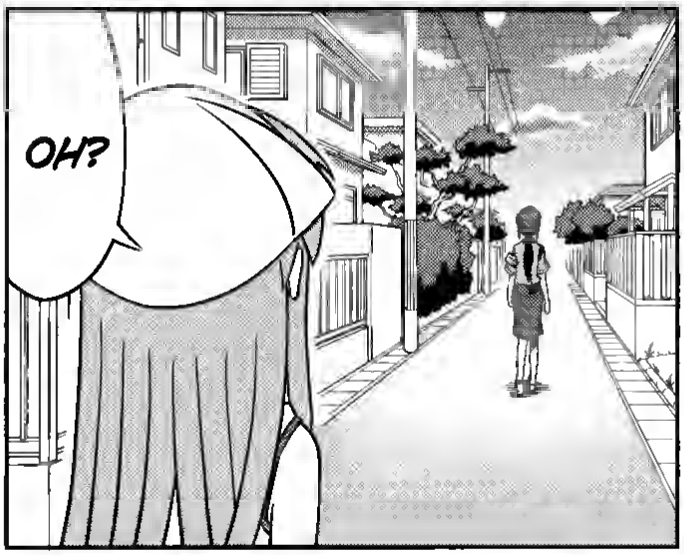
I DON'T NEED YOU TO GUIDE ME ANYMORE.


I HEARD THAT MY DESTINATION IS JUST ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS SHOP, SO I'M ALMOST THERE.
R-REALLY...

THANKS FOR EVERY-THINK!
NO PROB-LEM AT ALL.

Gloomy...
WHAT ARE YOU APOLO-GIZINK FOR?
S-sorry, I wasn't of any use again...

NOW THEN...
I WONDER WHERE'S THE POLICE STATION...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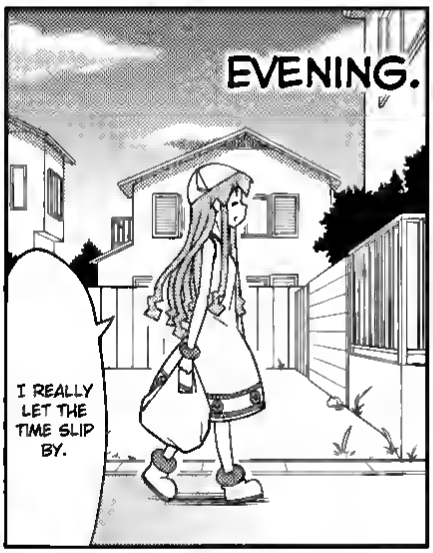
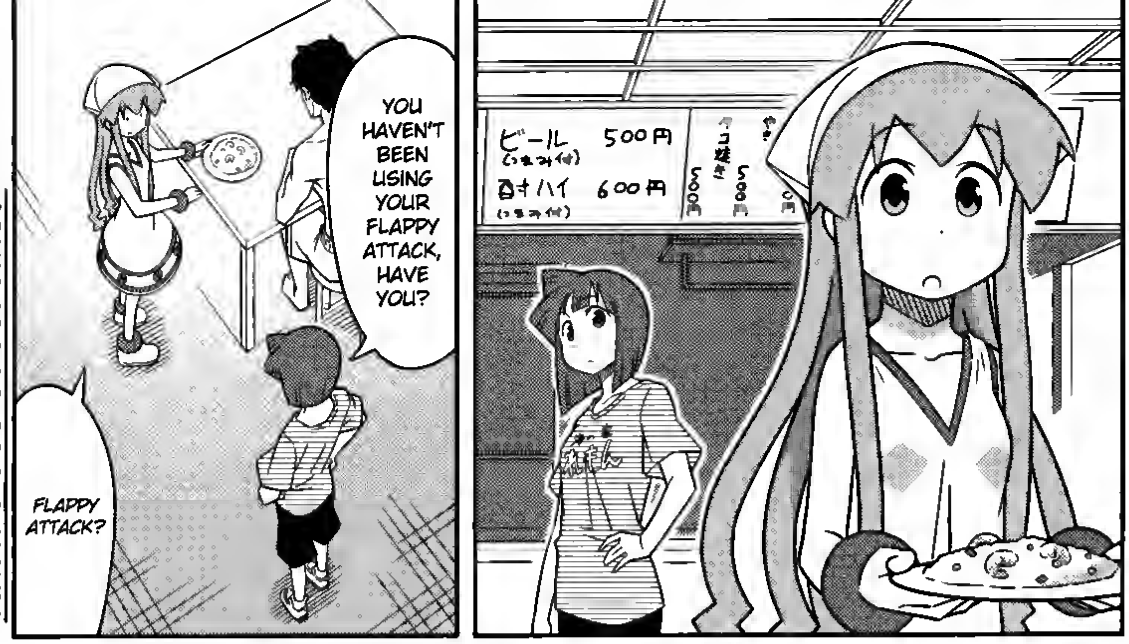

EVENING.
I REALLY LET THE TIME SLIP BY.

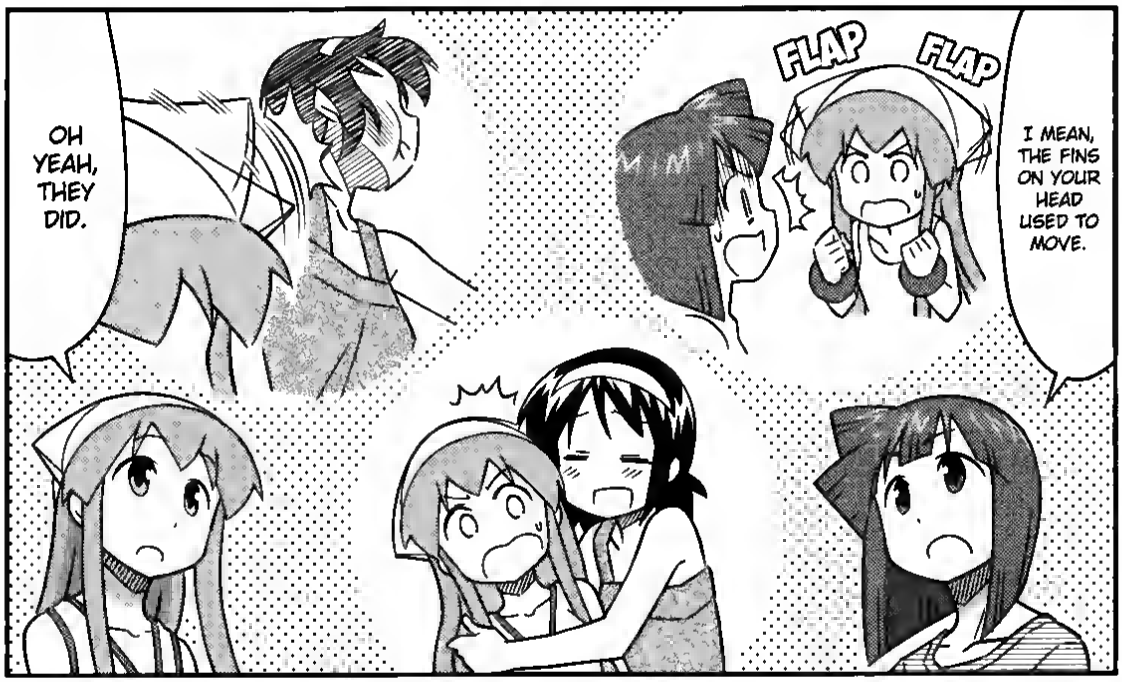
I'M SAVED...
...YOU SEEM TROUBLED, SO WANNA GO HOME TOGETHER?

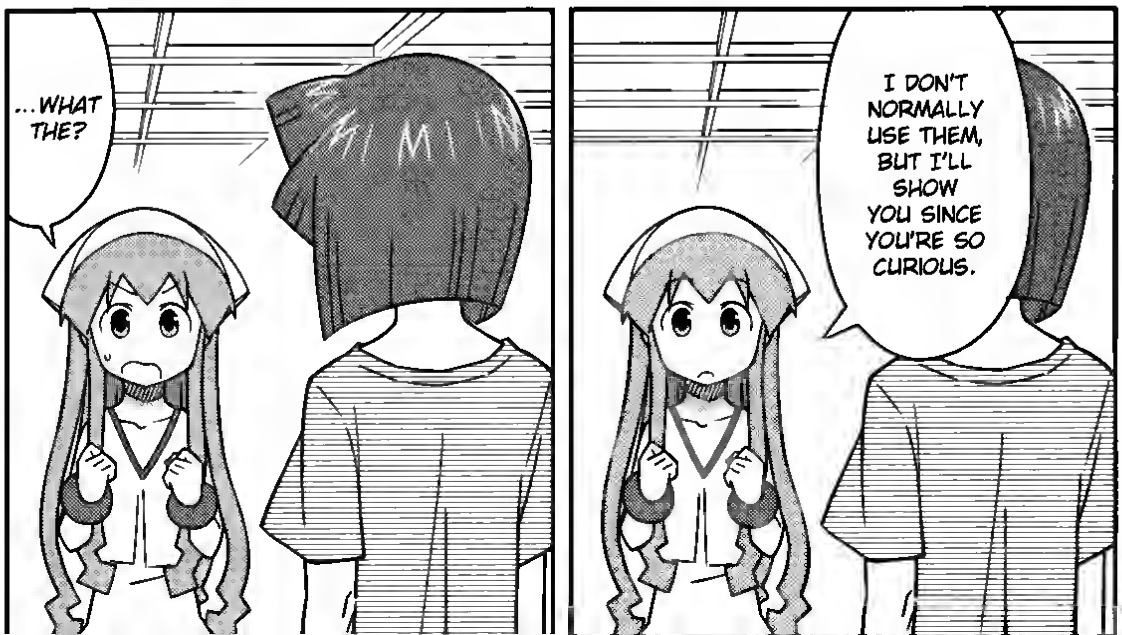
UM, I'M JUST PATROL-LING...
IKA MUSUME-SAN!
YOU STILL HAVEN'T GONE HOME?

CH. 379 END

CHAPTER 385: AREN'T YOU DEVOLVING?

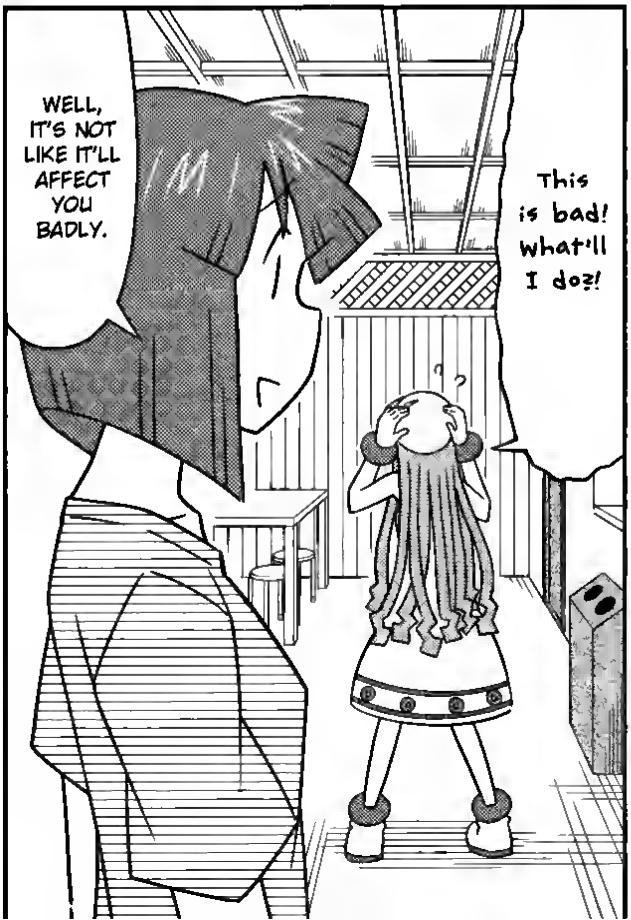


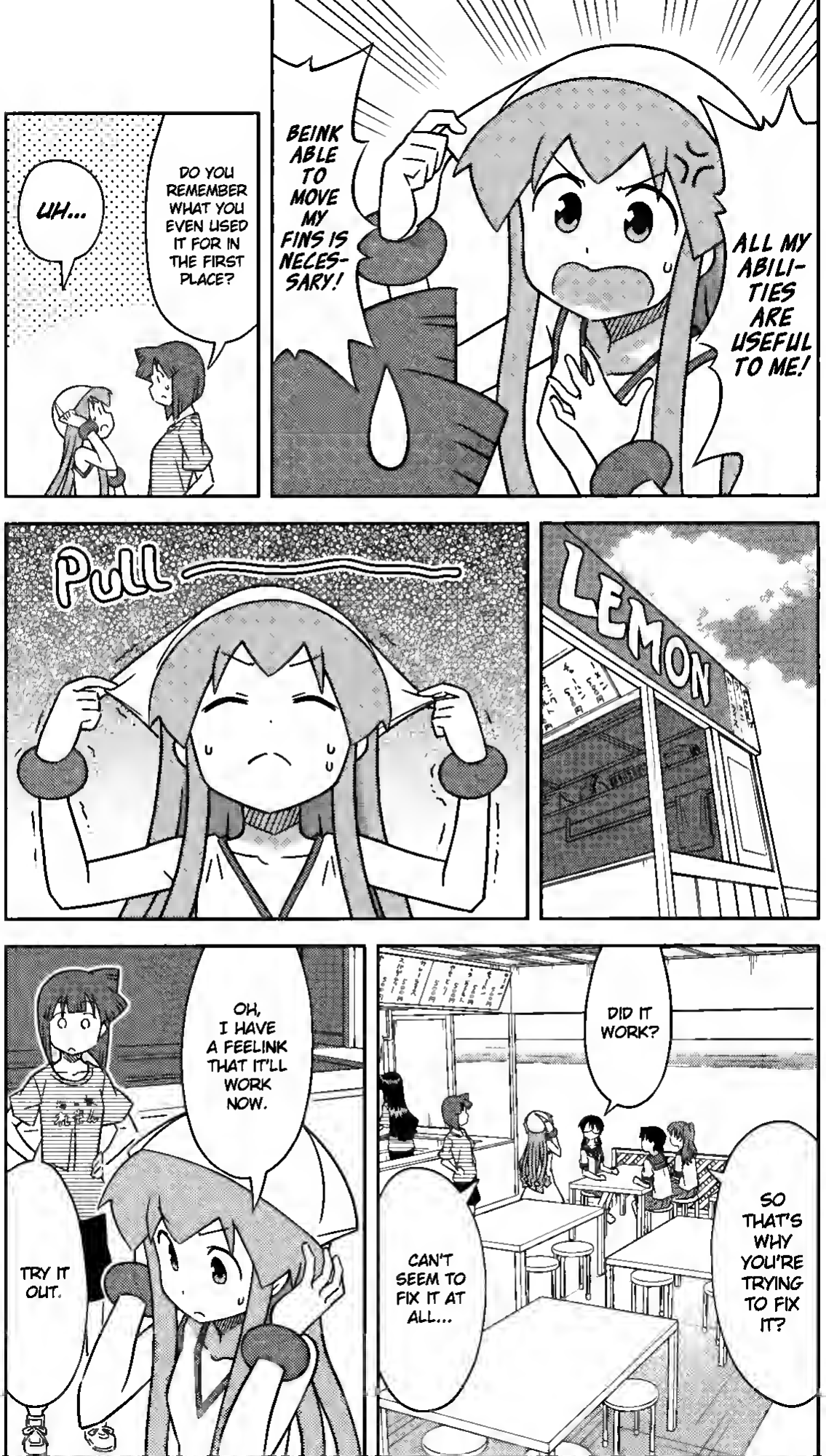




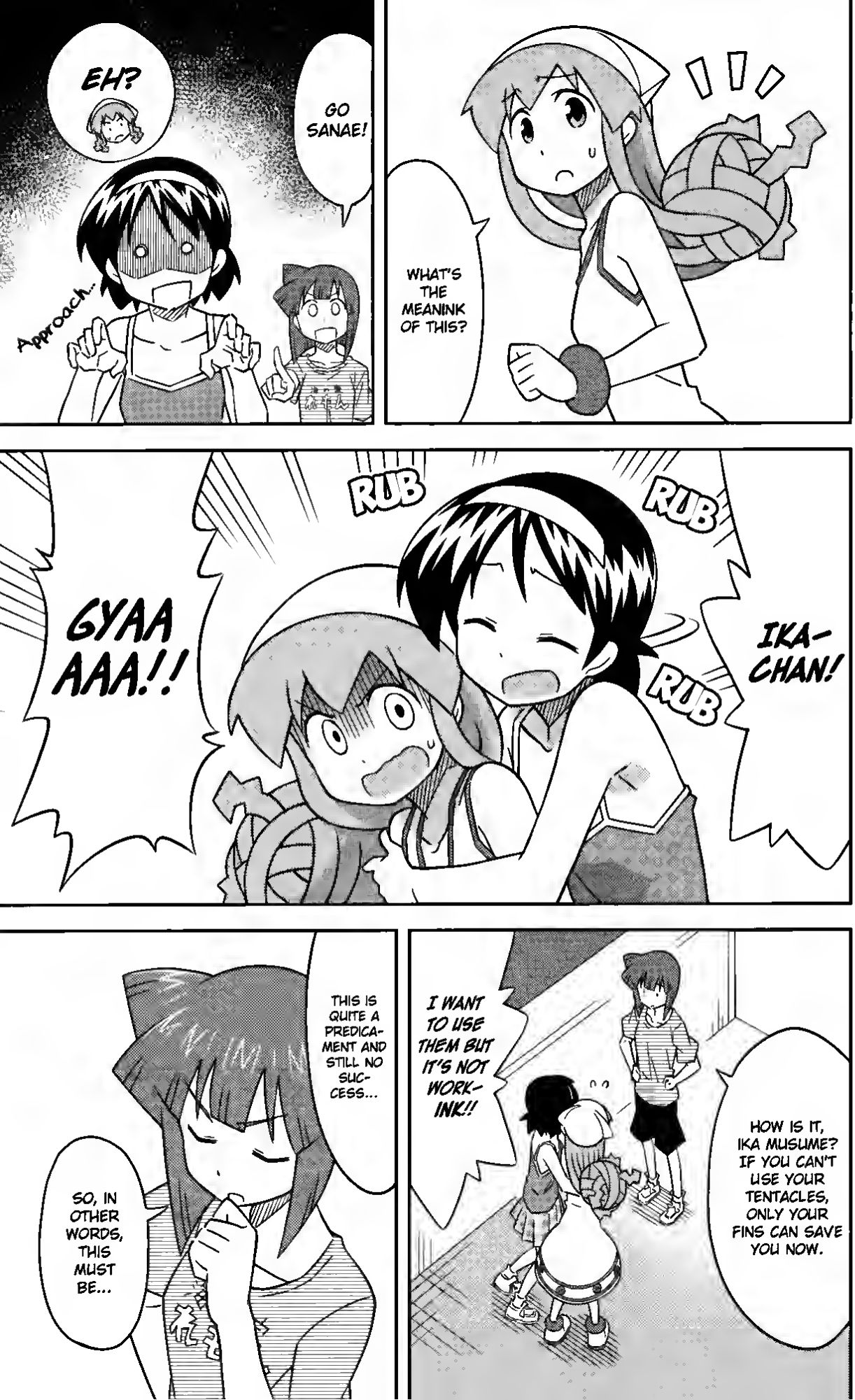
THE FINS AREN'T MOVINK!

STIFFEN
IT'S A USELESS ABILITY, ANYWAYS.

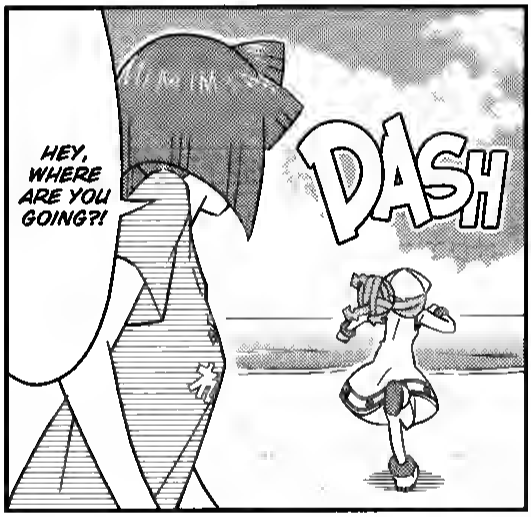

WELL, IT'S NOT LIKE IT'LL AFFECT YOU BADLY.
This is bad! What'll I do?!

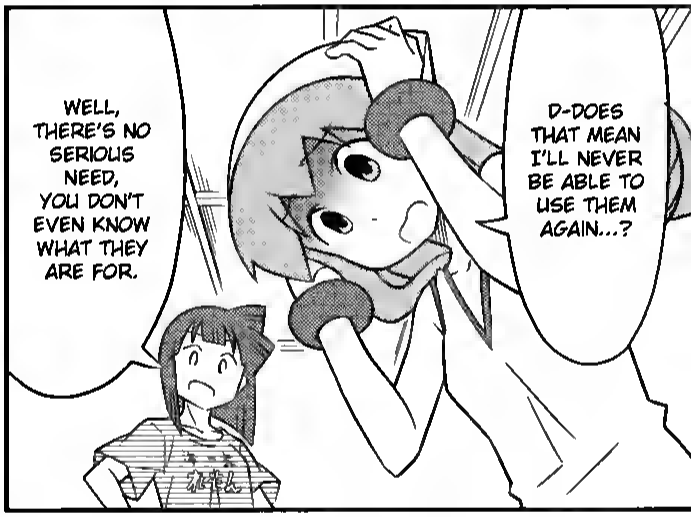

ALL MY ABILI-TIES ARE USEFUL TO ME!
BEINK ABLE TO MOVE MY FINS IS NECES-SARY!
DO YOU REMEMBER WHAT YOU EVEN USED IT FOR IN THE FIRST PLACE?
UH...
Pull
LEMON
DID IT WORK?
SO THAT'S WHY YOU'RE TRYING TO FIX IT?
CAN'T SEEM TO FIX IT AT ALL...
OH, I HAVE A FEELINK THAT IT'LL WORK NOW.
TRY IT OUT.

UGH... THAT'S NOT IT, THOUGH...
THAT PART OF YOUR HEAD WASN'T ACTUALLY HAIR?
FLAP
FLAP
YOUR BANGS ARE MOVING!
HOW'S THAT?
BURNING DRIED MUGWORT WATER
RUN-NING HOT WATER
CONCEN-TRATING ON THE FINS
W-WHAT'S GOINK TO HAPPEN?
WE'VE GOT NO CHOICE BUT TO TAKE DRASTIC MEA-SURES.
HOW STRANGE.
NONE OF IT DID ANY-THINK!

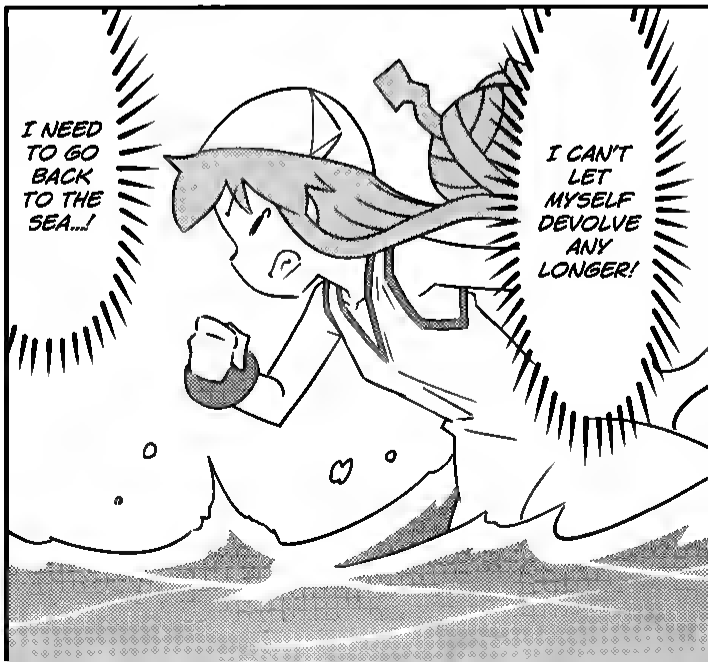

EH?
GO SANAE!
Approach...
WHAT'S THE MEANINK OF THIS?
RUB
RUB
RUB
GYAA AAA!!
IKA-CHAN!
THIS IS QUITE A PREDICA-MENT AND STILL NO SUC-CESS...
SO, IN OTHER WORDS, THIS MUST BE...
I WANT TO USE THEM BUT IT'S NOT WORK-INK!!
HOW IS IT, IKA MUSUME? IF YOU CAN'T USE YOUR TENTACLES, ONLY YOUR FINS CAN SAVE YOU NOW.

BY STAYING ON THE SURFACE FOR TOO LONG, YOUR FINS HAVE DEVOLVED.


HEY, WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
DASH

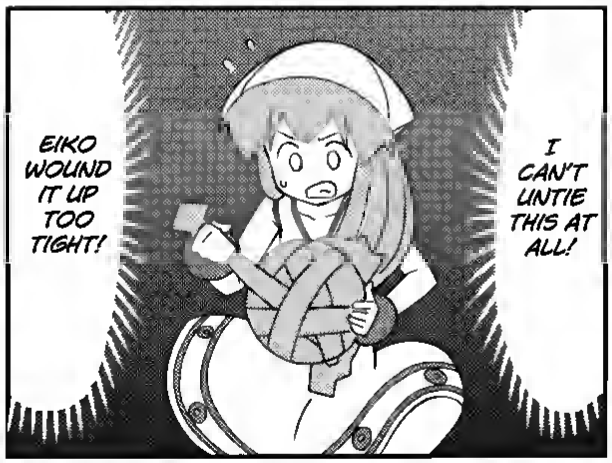

WELL, THERE'S NO SERIOUS NEED, YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THEY ARE FOR.
D-DOES THAT MEAN I'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO USE THEM AGAIN...?

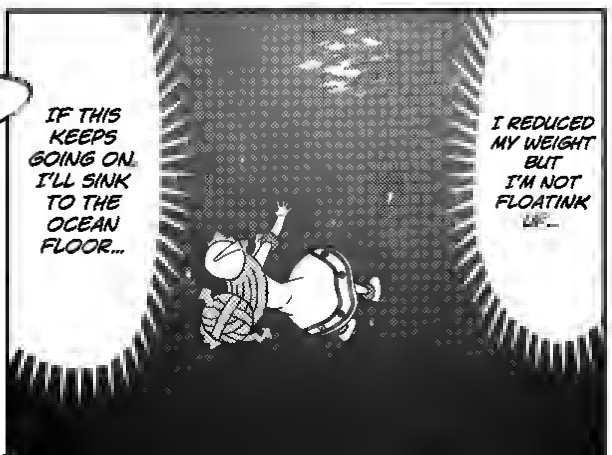
IKA MUSUME, WAIT! DON'T GO IN!

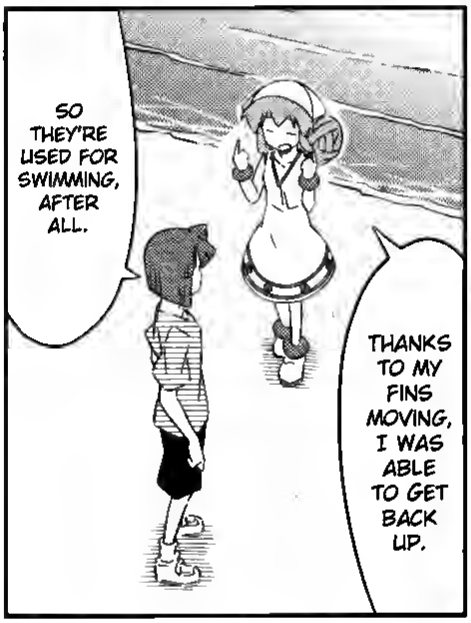

I NEED TO GO BACK TO THE SEA...!
I CAN'T LET MYSELF DEVOLVE ANY LONGER!

YOU CAN'T USE YOUR TENTACLES RIGHT NOW!!
!!

I DON'T WANT THIS!
I WANNA GO BACK WITH EVERY-ONE...!


EIKO WOUND IT UP TOO TIGHT!
I CAN'T UNTIE THIS AT ALL!


IF THIS KEEPS GOING ON, I'LL SINK TO THE OCEAN FLOOR...
I REDUCED MY WEIGHT BUT I'M NOT FLOATINK UP...



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AFTER-WORD

"Shinryaku! Ika Musume" has finally reached its 20th volume! It's because of all you supportive readers. Thank you so very much!

Back when this manga started I expected it to end before filling even one volume, so I'm feeling a little emotional about this.

When a series lasts this long, the material tends to get tired and the author gets stressed. But as long as each of the characters have at least one fan, I hope to bring them out periodically, whoever they are.

(Except for a certain few... sorry)

No matter how trivial something may be, it leads to future stories and I want to treasure that.

That being said, Ika Musume is the main character after all and I plan on drawing many more stories centered on her.

I don't know how much longer this series will continue, but I'll keep doing my best. See you all again next time!

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